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A Typical Greeting to Mother from Affectionate Children

"Her children arise up and call ber blessed; her bushand also, and he praiseth her."—Prov. 31; 28.

The word mother is allied in sacredness to the words, home, holihighest title of honour and the most powerful appeal. A mother's love, influence, prayers, and memory, are ereat moral forces in the world. Happy is he who has a virtuous. mother! Motherhood commands the reverence of the brave and the good under all eircumstan-The excellent woman is not only portrayed as a true-hearted wife and noble matron, but also as a loving mother, blessing and blessed. She is faithful, happy, and

Faithful. Not only in her inter-course with husband, children, serand friends is she kind. thoughtful and affectionate, but she is careful of their highest interests. she looks well to their ways, their habits of life, their moral discipline and their religious training: she seeks to restrain and repress al that is evil, and to encourage and foster all that is good in each bi her children; she is solicitous, alike, over their company and their con-duct: and like Hannah, she commends them to the Lord, and, like the venerable Lois, teaches them the Serinture's While with matronly care she provides generously for their comfort, both as to food and clothing suited for every season, she fails not with motherly love to attend to their spiritual necessities.

Happy. Virtue is its own reward. But beside the inward pleasure arising from the consciousness of having done her duty, this loving mother sees her children doing well and walking in her footsteps, and her ears are gladdened as she listens to the assurances of their filial love and gratitude. Her husband also fully appreciates her worth. gives her the highest praise as the most excellent of women. What car he sweeter to any woman than the praise of her husband and the loving gratitude of her happy and conented children?

Saintly. All other excellencies and virtues, however praiseworthy in themselves, are not for a moment to be compared with holiness. The external graces of person, gifts of mind, or rare accomplishments, are little without the favour of God, This is the crown of this radiantly beautiful character. She fears the Lord. She is "diligent in business, fervent in spirit, serving the Lord. She unites the several graces of Sarah and Hannah, of Martha and Doreas.

MY MOTHER.

She kave the heat years of her life With joy to me, And robbed herself, with loving heart, Unstintingly.

For me with willing hands she toiled From day to day; For me she prayed when headstrong youth

Would have its way. Her kentle arms, my cradle once. Are weary now: And time has set the seal of care Upon her brow.

And, though no other eyes than mine ... Their meaning trace. I read my history in the lines

And 'mid His gems, who showers His gifts As shining sands I count her days as pearls that fall

Of her dear face.

red spot on earth is the mother's knee. More sweet and tender memories, that moisten the eye, am gladden the heart, and regulate the life, emster about it than any other snot, however dear and holy, That is the dearest and holiest of them all, It abides forever, the symbol of soul's necessities. It is his first house of God, where he is taught Divine things, where the revelation of the Unseen first steals in upon his heart; it is his first oratory, where he is instructed how to draw near to God, where he learns the prayers that he never forgets, and that never cease to charm him with their heautiful simplicity and loving directness; it is his first school, where

A Sacred Spot Around Which Cluster Sweet and Sacred Me

Usually it is first of all a place of prayer. There the lisping lips learn to lift the heart to God, and the golden chain is forged that ever after is to bind the heing to the Unthe greatest stress of weather :- a charged with unspeakable good to the soul, John Randolph. of Romoke, tells us that at one time he might have become an infidel but for the memory of his mother's hand upon his head as he knelt at her side to repeat after her the

he is made subject to another will,

that learning to obey he may be fit

to rule. Hallowed spot! fountain

Mother's Training.

Lord's Prayer.

Frances Ridley Havergal, in her brief autobiographical notes, gives unmistakable evidence of her pious mother's training. When recording what she remembered of her soullife after she was six years of age, she says: "One sort of habit 1 got into in a steady way, which was pursevered in with more or less fer according to the particular fit in which I might be . Every Sunday atternoon I went alone to a little front room (at Henwick) over the Hall, and there used to read a chapter in the New Testament, and then kuch down and prayed for a few minutes, ofter which I usually felt soothed and less naughty." Her mother once said to her: "Dear. mother once said to her: "Dear room now, it ought to be a little liethel." When she was twelve years old her mother taught her this wise and beautiful prayer: "Prepare-me all that Thou art preparing for own death she referred to this, saying; "The words mamma taught me in 1848 have been a life prayer with

yout and thoughtful ones. The mother's knee is also the place of instruction; instruction of all kinds that bears upon the practical side of life; instruction in rightconsness. Often it is poured into apparently heedless cars, but being heard it is remembered, and

upon with heroic bravery. What careful training the following incident shows. One day in London, when Thomas Carlyle was within a few months of eighty, he was walking in company with an American stranger who had that day

THE one truly and enduring sac- a street crossing. When half-was over, Carlyle suddenly stopped, and stooping down picked something out of the mud, at the risk of being run over by one of the many carriages that were rushing past, With his bare hands he brushed the mud off. and placed the white substance in a clean spot on the curb stone. said he, in a tone as sweet and in words as beautiful as his companion had ever heard, "is only a crust of bread Yet I was taught by mother never to waste, and above all bread, more precious than gold, the substance which is the same to the body that the mind is to the soul. I am sure the nungry sparrows or a hungry dog will get nourish ment from that bit of bread."

Fresh and Clear.

Ah! consider 'well-the fact that lies beneath that. Carlyle about cighty years old, and his mother's carly teaching is guiding him and controlling him still! It has not faded out of sight; it is as fresh and as clear in the heart as the day it was spoken, only far more deeply felt and realized. The teaching has passed out of the bare word into a living puissant principle. It has in the deepest sense become life.

The mother's knee is also the

place of correction. This is, though the last, not the least important of its functions. It symbolizes disciphas the great gift of a mother who knows when to use the rod. Thomas Carlyle's aphorism shall stand much testing,- No able man ever had a fool for a mother." The wisdom of the mother is seen in her discipline: loving, tender, but firm and forceful it ever is. It is strong and steady, As the quaint Thomas Fuller outs "Our wise parent both instructs his children in piety, and with correction blasts the first buds of profaneness in them. He that will r use the rod on his child, his child shall be used as a rod on him."

And what does a wiser than Thomas Fuller say on this point: "He that spareth his rod, hateth his son; but he that loveth him, chasteneth him betimes." "Chasten thy son while there is hope, and let not thy soul spare for his crying.," Foolishness is bound in the heart of a child; but the rod of correction shall drive it far from him. 7. That is God's teaching and many parents are wise enough to act cons on it; and always with the lest; re-

Foundation Stones Laid. Consider it how we may, it is at the mother's knee that the foundaworthy, and enduring character are laid, in words and acts of no great importance, apparently, at the time; yet, by the steady enforcement and reiteration of them, they are rememhered, regarded, and acted upon, to ties that are every way desirable. The culture that the children need is mostly received here. And, therefore, no attention, no painstaking no denial of one's own feeling, is too great to attain the end that should carnestly seek, namely, a lovely Christian character in the

Remember Mother's Prayers A CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY O

MOTHER'S INFLUENCE How It Lives in the Hearts of Her Children and Shapes Their Lives It' is as a mother that woman

mightiest influence is exerted. God has put highest honour and reight-est responsibility on woman in making her such. When the infant Moses was found, the daughter of this child away, and murse & for me." So when God puts an infant in a mother's arms, He says to hel Me." Every mother should rended herself as a trainer of immortal soul for God. In this work ceaseles thought, activity and prayer are expended. In it highest and nobles faculties-all and to their atmost extent-are enlisted and taxeder Love, gentleness, tireless patiente

self-sacrifice, toil, are demanded an heerfully given, And religion enters the nursery as handmaid and helper. The mother gives her child to God, and over its infant days novers the incense of her players The opening mind is filled with thoughts of purity and gentlenes, thoughts of God and of right, Early is he taught to trust and to pray, Parental restraint leads to Divine restraint. From obedience to parents the transition to obedience to God is easy. So in all those early years her hand is on the secret spring of character. The elay is play tic, and she fashions it: the twiz is tender, and she heads it.

Said the mother of Washington, "A good boy generally make, a good man, George was always a good boy." So site aims to make good children gond boys and gitls, that they may become good mer and women. And these impression are deep and lasting. The mother of John Newton often retired with him to her closet, put her hands on his head, and implored God's blessing on her son. He never could forget it. In after years he ever felt her hands upon his head.

Many years ago a company of Indians were captured on the then western frontier of civilization Among them were a number of stolen children. Word was sen throughout the region, inviting all who had lost children to come and see if among the little captives they could recognize their man. A fong way off was a woman who had been robbed of her darlings.—a hoy and a girl: With mingled hope and fear she came; with throbbing heart she approached the group. They were strange to her. She came nearer, and, with eyes filled with motherlove and earnestness, peered into their faces, one after another; but there was nothing in any that she could claim. Nor was there anything in her to light up their cold faces. With the dull pain of despair at her heart, she was turning away, when she pansed, choked back the tears, and, in soft, char notes began a simple song she used to sing to her little ones of Jesus and Heaven. Not a line was completed before a boy and a girl sprang from the group, exclaiming, "Mani-ma! mamma!" and she folded her lost ones to her bosom. So lives a mother's early influence in the hearts of her children.

HOW TO BE SAVED.

Realize that you are a signer. Admit the truth about yourself. Express sorrow for your sins. Repent-that means, turn from sie

to God. .- Christ paid your debt-trust His atoning sacrifice. God is willing, for Christ's sake to forgive your sins.

A SALVATIONIST MOTHER AND WARRIOR

Tells How She Has Trained Her Family of Five Girls for God and the Salvation Army

ONE of the sweetest words in the English language is Mother. A writer says, "There is no velvet so soft as a mother's lips; no rose so lovely as her smile; no path so flowery as that imprinted by her tsteps;" and in these words find expressed the universal feelings of all humanity.

ing the last chapter of Proverbs with ave a fine picture of an ideal wife and mother. She is said to be a frugal, faithful, godly housewife; hing her family in garments prepared by her industry, and the more utiful honours of a well-kept, west-mannered house. She, therefore, it is who makes the centre of a happy domestic life, and becomes a mark of reverence to her children: Ber children arise up and call her.

Who More Worthy?

And who is more worthy of such recognition as mother. To-day, as sever before in the world's history, thers are coming into their own Mach has always been expected of mothers-in love, in service, and in acrifice-and it has always been freely given, without blare of trumtets or in a spectacular manner.

A-typical Salvationist mother and warrior is Sister Mrs. Jones, of the we thought it would be of interest and benefit to our readers to ob tain from her, for this special Mother's Day issue of "The War Cry," some account of how she has trained her family for God and the Army. Mrs. Jones has five grown daughters, all of whom are ardent vationists, Annie, the eldest, is the Corps Cadet Guardian at the ome Corps; Florence is married to Adjutant William Dray; Nellie is the Corps Officer at Essex; Elsie the Primary Class teacher, and Minnie a Company Guard at the home Corps.

"It must be a source of great joy and satisfaction to you to see all your children following in your footsteps and holding positions in the Army," we remarked.

IT is a grand place, surely! A

from those windows. Could you ere get tired of it? But best of all we get nothing but kindness; and

kindness goes a long way, and es-pecially as you might say, with old

people. At least, so I say, and so I think," said the state of the said the

drawn her chair back some way

the sat in the neighbourhood nod-

al prayers yesterday, was asleep in

with her was impossible.

tasy chair; so that conversation

In one of the bay windows, in

thy chairs, sat four picturesque tradmothers, conferring together.

They are of the hardy type, and like this alcove. They prefer to look out

upon bright geraniums, and verdant

fell from autumn trees, rather than

feets a closer proximity to the fire.

"I am the oldest in the house

am the oldest in the nouse, and the prettiest of the four, with the eyes, smiling and a delicate officer in her cheeks. Her lace cap

and Jahry shawl completed the de-bile of a charming figure. "I am estip-sine! I go to Church twice m Sunday, and for a long walk

issis, and to watch golden leaves

said the old lady who had

dentis grand! Just look at the

beautiful home! And the gar-

"It is, indeed," said Mrs. Jones, "but they did not get to where they are to-day without a good deal of prayer. I have prayed much for them, and with them, and all of them got definitely converted when quite young. I think much of the responsibility for children's Salvation rests upon the mothers. We are so much with them, and we can put the Bible truths before them in such a way that they will soon love to hear them. I think it is a beautiful privilege we mothers have of being able to lead our children to the One who said, 'Suffer the children to come unto Mc.' I know it-needs wisdom and nationce but God bas romised to supply us with all that we only ask Him. That is where the secret comes in: So many fail to ask just at the time they need. no two are alike, even in the same family, and it requires much anxious thought, much prayer, and a great deal of loving and tactful lealing to train them in the way they should go."

"You believe, then, that if chil-dren are rightly trained they will grow up to be good, godly, and use-

Like Young Trees.

"I certainly do. Children are like young trees, they can be bent in whatever direction you wish. Isn't there a saying, "As the (wig is bent the tree's inclined?' Well, that is how I regard the training of children. We are told in the Bible to bring our children up 'in the nur ture and admonition of the Lord. and if we do so, under the guidance ourselves of the Holy Spirit, we may eertainly expect them to develor into real servants of God, with the same precious ideals in life as our Alvin.

"Could you mention one or two points concerning home government which you consider of importance in the proper upbringing of chil-dren?"

"First of all, I should put love, A child cannot have too much love of the right sort, but it can easily

have too much of sorts wholly wrong. I have seen many children quite spoiled by a mistaken kindness, which is sheer cruelty. To let a child have its own way, for instance, especially if it eries or other-wise makes itself disagreeable to get it, when we know the way is not good, is to inflict lasting ins trouble at the expense of the child by letting it indulge in oh-stinacy and self-will. Thus it gets the notion that to get its own way it has to be nasty to others, and is likely to grow up sullen and sel-

Because They Must.

"This is where firmness comes in. All my children early learnt that when I said 'No' I meant it. Nothing can be worse than letting a child have its own way, even in things, when those things have been forbidden. Children are usually full of life and vigour, and in their early years we often have to make them do things, not because they are right or because they ought, but because they must in order to be obedient. This is very important the right training of children.

"But justice must-always be tempered with mercy and common Very often more will be gained by forgiving the child when it has done wrong and expresses penitence, than by barshly punishing it. The spirit of forgiveness should pervade the house at all

"Another thing I would warn parents against is showing favouritism. It is a cause of much jealousy and bitter feeling in some families when the parents prefer one child before another.

"Don't expect that children will have no faults. They will have plenty, but so long as you know they are really trying to conquer their faults, don't be impatient with them, though they fall many times, Don't try to build a character in a Be content to see the children grow slowly in goodness, if so be it blessing and guidance in this, and is constant. And don't forget to give Him all the glory."

praise them when they do well. Let them see your joy when they please you, as well as your grief when they do things displeasing, then they will try to grieve you less and please von more.

"Have you experienced any difficulties as to your children's com-

"I am thankful to say I have never had any worry along those lines. This is undoubtedly due to the fact that they all got really saved at such an early age. At school, and later at their places of work, they were ever ready to avow themselves as Salvationists, and this proved a safeguard from undesirable companions. As regards dress, they have always thought that the Army uniform is the neatest and most desirable elothing to wear, and have never troubled about modern fashions. Then as to amusements, I can say that not one of my girls has ever been inside a show. They find the truest enjoyment in the service of God, and are living testimonies to the truth that young people can find real pleasure in devoting themselves to the Salvation

Make Home Cheerful.

"Of course we have always striven to make home as bright and cheerful as possible, and that has a contented and happy. When they were little they found their chief joy in holding meetings amongst themselves, and in one of these the youngest found Salvation, When children are good and true, they helieve in each other, and the prayers and exhortations of brothers and sisters will often help them more than any others. When they grew older, of course, they found plenty to occupy their minds and hearts in the Corps activities. The great aim we have constantly endeavoured to set before them is that they are not to live for happiness, but useful ness, and we praise God for His

IN LIFE'S EVENTIDE

"Behold thy mother!" was one of the tender injunctions spoken from the Vross. And the Sariour's dying words are, nomey other ways, sawely having fulfilment in the Army's Homes for the Aged—the Ecutific retreats where life's last years may be reget in an atmosphere of force and transpully!. A vite which a journalist paid to one of these wordly Institutions is here described, and will be read with grateful

from the generous fire. The others every morning. Sometimes I go out in the afternoons as well." sed in agreement.
The blind lady who reads to the "And I am the second oldest." chimed in a cheerful voice, "I am others by means of her elever fingers, and who read out a hymn eighty-one, and able to go for a

walk with her, too." Among the twenty-six ladies who were using the spacious room without giving any sense of overcrowding, some younger old ladies seemed much more decrepit; but each had her own easy chair. On one of the three couches an invalid was tucked in with a rug. She happens to be the only Salvationist in this hig

family.

"I have to lie here, on and off," she said. "Praise God for such a morniber old comfortable corner. I remember old General Booth, and his dear lady, too, hefore you was born. Many blessing I have had a-listening to him; and now his face is a-looking down at me from the wall, and from

"Some of them are between the

ages of sixty and seventy," explained Adjutant Batty, "We cannot exclude them because their pension is not due. We look to the Army's kind iriends to help us make the closing years of their life happy. Between the ages of sixty and seventy the struggle for old people thrown upon

the world is tragic! "I hope and helieve that being here is just like home for them. For comfortable than anything they have ever known; but others were in good circumstances before the war, Some of them were living in one room, and not having proper they came to us. Others have he living with relations who were really not in a position to look after them

properly. "When they are ill we nurse them here, and they will die here. There will be no ambulance to the hospital or infirmary. They know this, and

it means a good deal to them. "I can truly say that we look after them just as if they were our mothers; and there is joy in being able to brighten the end of their lives. It appeals to me. The sister who is my chief assistant has been a trained nurse. She watches over their health, and nurses them when sick. In the morning she dresses those who cannot dress themselves, Some have their breakfast in bed In the evening there are a number to be put to bed.

"My other assistants are young Salvationists, and they enter, too, into the spirit of love in doing anything they can,

"There are no rules as you may say. The old ladies are free to go t and come in as they like; that is, if they are well enough; and visitors may come and see them daily.

"After the meeting last Sunday an old lady who goes about on crutches, and whose daughter is in touring theatrical company, said, "Oh, I wish I had the same experi-ence as you, sister.' That gave us the opportunity for a nice talk with her. She can't quite get there yet; but the light is coming. She has only been with us three weeks.

There is one thing I can say of every one of them, and that is, they are the most thankful old ladies I

Makes the Whole of Life Parer

The more we know of a mother's

leve for her children the more we

of the wonderful influences

the world. It canobles not only the mother and her child, but makes the whole of life in general purer and brighter. Where did it come

from, this spirit which transforms

We need not hesitate a single in-

straight from the heart of God, How full of love towards the Giver of all good and holy gifts we onght to be for the great gift with which

makes every mother worthy the

want willing to accept suffering and

hield her little ones from any moral or material danger. It is this, for which constrains a mother to

forget herself in a thousand ways in

or deeds of self-denial on behalf

Not long ago a young mother had

been reprimanding her sturdy little

efter notwithstanding words of

warning, the little one was in diffi-

There was a crash in the kitchen,

sllowed by a seream. The mother,

by no means strong, and never able

length of the street, rushing into the

kitchen discovered that the inquisi-

apon a chair, trying to reach the

pagepair. After much effort she got

hold of it with the result that the

tateepan crashed down upon her

Mood to flow freely.
"When the startled young mother tracked the kitchen she found her

the one in a dreadful plight on the

Boer. In an instant, forgetful of

ser frailty and weakness, and the

indertaking, she seized the child in

her arms, wrapped a towel about its

hat or jacket, raced down one road, up another, and past many more

stil she came to a steep incline, at the top of which was a local hospi-

Still unconscious of fatigue, up

the hill she sped, and a minute or so afterwards rushed in past gate-

porter and out-patients, and placed

er child into the hands of an aston

siled nurse, and when the doctor

came insisted upon being permitted to fiold the little one's hand while

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He entrusts mothers! It is this love in the heart which

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Is a Good Mother-Cherish Her

With Care.

clares, "When my father and mother

forsake me, then the Lord will take

me up." Nor could he find any

human sorrow more foreible than that in which he says, "I bowed

heavily, as one that mourneth for

LATEST NEWS OF SALVATION FIGHTING ON THE FIELD

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RIVERDALE

Park Open-Air Attracts Large Crowd-Converts Do Good Work at "Cry" Booming.

Our Great Call Campaign is in full swing. We commenced our first open-air service in Riverdale Park on Sunday afternoon, the music of the Band being much enjoyed by the large crowd. Helpful testimonics and Bible talks were given by Training College Cadets and Corps Comrades. Sunday meetings were conducted by Captain and Mrs. Moat, and were full of blessing and help.
The Corps Officers have entered

upon the third year of their stay with us, and, according to the re-port read by Treasurer Fuller, the Corps has made splendid progress during the last two years. Nearly sixty Senior and twenty Junior Soldiers have been added to the Roll. Six Candidates have entered the Training College and two the Field making a total of eight. A Songster Brigade has been formed, which is a Brigade has been formed, which is a splendid asset to the Corps. The Band of Love and Young People's Legion have been organized and over fifty new babies have been secured for the Cradle Roll. The Junior fully renovated, and other necessary improvements have been made, ar a cost of over \$1,000. Many seekers for Salvation have been recorded. including Brother and Sister Mrs. Barwick and their daughter, who sell over 100 copies of "The War Cry" weekly, and who sold over 300 copies of the Easter and Christmas numbers, as well as collecting over \$50 for Self-Denial. Every depart-ment of the Corps is well organized and making headway, and we are full of faith for even greater advances, and believe this next year will be a banner year. During the and the Cadets farewelled; in the course of their stay the Corps com rades have been richly blessed and and earnest efforts for the Salvation of souls -R. Arunid.

YORKVILLE.

A Cheering Record of Progress-Soldiers Enrolled

During the past nine months, one hundred and thirty-six have knelt at the mercy-seat: twenty-two Sen ior Soldiers, and thirty Junior Sol-diers have been enrolled. A Young People's demonstration was held re-cently. The Citadel was packed and sixty dollars was the income. The Life-Saving Guards are doing well, under Guard Leader L. Gage who has been newly appointed. The Band of Love is progressing, with Sister Beatrice Webb as Leader Between thirty and forty children

attend weekly.
Lieut.-Colonel Morehen recently conducted week-end meetings, and enrolled twelve Senior Soldiers and thirty Young People. Six seekers been accepted, and others are

applying.

The Band recently gave a Musical Festival, the Hall being crowded Several new Band instruments have been purchased, also a plano and a Band Flag.

Envoys Allward and Burditt led week-end meetings recently, and three seekers came to the mercy-

REANTECRD

Visit of Major Imrie — Large Crowds Attend Meetings A Record March

We recently had a visit from Major Imrie, who is on his way to Australia. He is an old friend of Adjutant and Mrs. Condie, and also of Assistant Sergt.-Major Bissett. The Major laid himself out during the week-end to bless and help the people who attended the meetings. His soulful singing made a deep impression, and his addresses were impression, and an addresses were profitable to all. Good crowds at-tended. On Sunday night there were one hundred and twenty-five comrades on the march, which is a

On Sunday, April 17, Envoys Burditt and Allward were with us, and we had a most profitable day.

AMHERST PARK (MONTREAL)

Young People's Band Creates Much Interest-Large Crowd Attracted.

A new interest was awakened a A new interest was awakened a few Sundays ago in the Athherst Park Corps and district by the ap-pearance in the meetings of a Young People's Band, assisted by three Senior comrades. Their appearance was a great attraction, showing itself n every available seat and chair heing occupied, and thus the Band commenced to attract people to God. The Band is showing signs of rapid improvement, under the leadership of Brother A. Dunk, Sen., not only as good musicians but as valiant fighters for God, by

scizipg in every meeting opportuni-ties of witnessing for Him.

On Sunday, April 17, two Jnniors were transferred to the Senior Corps, and publicly enrolled by Captain Oxley. This service was of great interest, both of the Young People being sons of long-standing Salvationists, Brother Alfred Dunk represents the third Salvation Army generation. Brother George Cherrington is about to leave us for a himself and his parents that he should become a Salvation Army Soldier before leaving us.

LIPPINCOTT (TORONTO).

Adjutant and Mrs. Galway, assist ed by our Brigade of Cadets, led the

Sunday meetings.

The Holiness meeting was a time of rich blessing to all present. Cadet Cooper soloed

In the afternoon our Songster Brigade went to the Mercer Re-formatory and helped to cheer and bless the inmates with their music

and song. The evening meeting was one of much interest. During this service a Recruit was enrolled. Some of the Cadets contributed in this service by song and testimony.

MONTREAL IL

The week-end meetings of April 16 and 18 were field by our own Of-ficers, Captain and Mrs. Bosher, On Sunday night we rejoiced over seeing one soul kneel at the mercy-seat. Again on Monday night another soul came out for Salvation. We have had a glorious victory in con-nection with our Self-Denial. Our target has been smashed. Some of our Converts have done exceedingly well in collecting, some of them for the first time. CHESTER (TORONTO)

Rand. and Songsters Pay a Visit and Arouse Much "Will you dedicate my baby?" was

the request made to Adjutant Han by a bystander around the open-air by a bystander around the doeshalt ast Sunday, morning, when more than usual interest was displayed by the residents of the steet in which we met. An old lady also came to the Adjustant and thanked thing. The treat this as: T, haven't been been to go to (furch for years, but you have brought the Church to met." The morning Holmers meeting was a season of right blassing. "Whatt's this, a new Yarmy", asked, a bystander. "No, it is just. Salvation Dowrroutts, uplendid. Band and Songster Brigade marching through our streets made a great impression, our streets made a great impression. our streets made a great impression, and was a good start for the pres-ent section of the Great Call Campaign. Inside the Citadel was packed, every available chair being utilized. Eusign Leech gave a stir-ring Salvation address, and the Band and Songsters did splendid service.

HALIFAX I

Lieut.-Colonel Miller Conducts Sunday Meetings-Eight Seekers.

Lieut.-Colonel Miller, assisted by Brigadier and Mrs. Walton, were with us all day Sunday, April 24, when a day of great blessing an I

when a day of great blessing and inspiration was experienced.

In the Hollness meeting the Colonel gave a helpful address on the privilege of being partakers of the Divine nature. Three-seelers came forward to consecrate themselves to

God.

In the afternoon praise, service two sought. Salvation, After a splendid open-air aringing, the Citadel was packed to the deors, and a great Salvation, meeting igob place with five south af, the speniteniform. The Golopel's addresses proved of great blessing and help to all.

MIMICO Sinners Won for God-Prayers Are Answered.

On Sunday, April 24, real inspiron sudday, April 2, real inspir-ing spacings were conducted by Captain and Mrs. Clarke. We held two open-airs in New Toronto, one being in the foreign

In the Salvation meeting, after an

earnest address by the Captain, two souls sought Salvation, one being a young girl who for over a year had been the subject of special prayers. Her fight was a hard one, but she conquered through the Blood.

MONCTON .

Commandant Sheard, of St. John led the meetings last Sunday, assisted by Adjutant Hurd, Three Soldiers were enrolled in the afternoon service: The Hall was crowded at night and five persons sought Salva-

MONTREAL I

The week-end meetings were con-ucted by Adjutant and Mrs. Mac-Donald, assisted by the Band and Songsters. Two souls sought SalHALIPAX II."

Sunday Meetings Led by Long Colonel Noble—Father and Soc Seek Salvation Together,

Lieut Colonel Noble and State Captain Penfold were with us has otain Penfold were with its inday. It was a day of blessing Adjutant Laure and inspiration, Adjutant Clarke, the Matron of the Materials Hospital, assisted in the mornin meeting. In the afternoon Staffeld tain Penfold was in charge, The Young People placed \$100, their Self-Denial offering, on the aftag

Self-Denial offering, on the afate, a
A father and son and a young
man friend knelt together, at ale
mercy-seat in the night meeting,
earnestly seeking Salvation and the
dedicate themselves to the sense.
God. The father had been, about,
alider, for years, When he had
to return he instantly plead the
his boy to accommance him to his boy to accompany him. The wife and mother had passed away some years ago, and among her treasures were found her Corps Cadet, papers. As she was unable to fulfil her, desires, the boy of seventeen was inthe Salvation Army War. Compandant and Mrs. Brace are in charge.

TORONTO I. Sand

Staff-Captain and Mrs. Lewis Lead Sunday Meetings-Six Seeking.

. We have been having some very blessed times lately at Toronto, L. good number have knelt study good number have knelt at a fee penitent-form. Several of thee are showing by their lives that they are living in God's strength, and have declared war on the devil. 655 On Sunday, April 17, we had Staff-Captain and Mrs. Lewis, from India. in pative cocume with we

India, in native costume with us. wife a great blessing to our souls.

by their talks and duets in the Marathi language. At the Hollessus

"Love." The service was full of

blessing to our souls.
At the Company meeting, Mrs. Lewis greatly interested the Juniors with a talk on her conversion and her work in India among the chil-

In the praise meeting the Staffan an expected the Salaration Army in India. At high the Salvation Army in India. At high the Staff-Captain told of the avial darkness of the heathen world, and of their need of Christ and men

God came down upon us, and six souls came forward, four of these being Juniors.—Alfred Steel,

BROCK AVE. (TORONTO) mday Meetings Led by Divisional Commander—Two Seekers

Lieut.-Colonel Morchen, the Divisional Commander, received a very warm welcome on Sunday, April 24. The Holiness meeting was one of blessing and inspiration.
After several testimonies of a personal nature, and a short talk from.
Mrs. Morchen, the Colonel gave a

helpful address.
In the afternoon the Colonel visited the Company meeting, and gave a very interesting talk on the word Watch

The children gave close attention, and no doubt profited by the same. There was a splendid attendance of one hundred and thirteen. At night the Colonel gave a powerful Salvation address, and dising the prayer meeting two persons

sought pardon.

EMBOBLING MOTHER-LOVE SOME POINTED STORIETTES BEST HUMAN FRIEND

ABOUT EXERCISING

Exercise is a good thing, but one can have too much of it. It is having too much of a good thing when an over-worked mother or daughte has to run upstairs and downstairs on the most trivial errands, while



She Ought to Help Mother.

there are others in the home who do not help who are able to do so. Exercise is good generally, but there is a time when it is the duty of a mother or daughter to rest.

In the picture we see a mother hard at work washing the clothes, while her little daughter is "exercis-ing." We think-she ought to help her mother, and her mother is to blame for doing all the work her-self! Washing is apleudid exercise if one doesn't have too much of it and a little of it wouldn't do this

her, and were able to point her to the Saviour. Within a few weeks the end came, and Bessie went to Heaven. The Captain conducted the funeral, and at the graveside the aged mother whispered to the Lieutenant, on whose arm she was leaning for support, "Thank God my child came home to die. We do know the end. If she had remained away we might never have known. A month later the Captain con-ducted a double funeral at the same grave. Both parents had gone to rejoin their erring daughter. "They died of a broken heart," the doctor

THOSE TERRIBLE BOYS.

No saying is more true than the

One day they were following in the wake of their parents and the young hopefuls heard a boy shouting after their mother because she was wearing Army uniform. This was more than they could stand, for they knew, of course they did, that their mother was the best in the world. From the point of view of the younger of my hopefuls, there

There is no human love like a mother's love. There is no earthly older a man grows the more he knows of the world, the plainer the truth stands out in his mind. And when a man seems dead to every other influence for good, the recollection of a mother's prayers and a mother's tears often has a hole upon him which he neither can nor upon nm which he herther can nor would break away from. David, the man after God's own heart, could find no words which could express his ahiding confidence in God, like those wherein he de-

old one, "Boys will be boys" (writes an Officer). I have in mind two dear little chaps—that is, they were dear little chaps, but the years have made a difference in one particular, at any rate, for they are now tall, Soldierly-looking Officers of the Salvation Army. They are children of Officers, and when but "little dots," they each wore a tiny red

his mother."
When the glorious Son of David
was hanging on the Cross in agony,
with the weight of a lost world
upon Him, He could forget all His personal suffering, and could turn, as it were for a moment, from the ognize the tenderness and fidelity of and to commend her with His dying breath to the faithful ministry of the Precious Pictures. The Bible abounds with precious

pictures of loving mothers and of a mother's love; Hagar weeping in the desert over her famishing boy; Jochebed playing the servant to se-cure the privilege of nursing her boy for the daughter of Pharoah; the true mother in the presence of Solomon, ready to lose her child that it might be saved! the widow of Zarenath and the Shunamite woman securing the interession of the prophet for the restoration to life of their dead darlings; the Syrophoenician woman venturing everything, and refusing to he put aside, that she might win a blessing from Him Who alone was able to restore health to her grievously vexed daughter; the mother of Limothy teaching her sons lessons by which the world is still profiting, and so on through a long list of those who were representative mothers chosen of God for a place in the sacred record, and whose like are about us still on every side. Honour the dear aged mother,

Time has scattered the snowflakes on her brow, pillowed deep jurrows in her cheeks, but she is sweet and beautiful now. Her lips are thin and sunken, but those are the lips that have kissed many a hot tear from childish cheeks, and those are the sweetest lips in the world. The the soft radiance of holy love which can never fade. Ah, yes, she is a dear old mother. The sands of life are nearly run out, but feeble as she is she will go further and reach down lower for you than all others upon earth. You cannot walk into midnight where she cannot see you you cannot enter a prison whose bars will keep her out; you cannot mount a scaffold too high for her to reach that she may kiss you and bless you in evidence of her deathless love. When the world despises and forsakes, when it leaves you by the wayside to die unnoticed, the dear good mother will gather you in her feeble arms and carry you home and tell you all your virtues until you almost forget your soul is disfigured by vice. Love her tenderly, and cheer her declining 'years

with holy devotion.-Wm, Square-

briggs, Commandant.

This was more than they could stand

to note the inite one's hand white the stifches were put in. The same mother, in an ordinary experience, tould not have carried her child a hundred yards without fatigue. MOTHER AND OTHERS.

Others weary of the nuise, Others scold because we fell, Mothers "kiss and make it well." Offices work with patient will. Mothers labour later still.

grow i adulous.

Others love us more or less, Others pardon, hating yet; Mothers pardon and forget. Mathers keep the ancient score. never shut the door,

stiff t. . Other through aith away. pray, and pray.

particular daughter the weenest, teeniest bit of harm. If any danghters who read this are letting their mothers do all the hard work while mothers do all the hard work will they play or idle, we loope they will make "Mother's Day" an occasion fo not only present mother with a flower, but to sllow their practical devotion to her by sharing her bur-And, having made a good start, keep it up every day of the VCAT.

DIED OF A BROKEN HEART.

... Forsaken by her gay companions now that, her beauty had become dimmed. Bessie returned to her vil lage home with a sorrowful heart, a blighted lifes and a righted constitution. Her aged parents received her joyfully in spite of the past, and did beir best to make the few remaining days of her life as happy as pos-

Army Officers frequently visited

was—guernsey or no guernsey—to give the boy who called after his mother a "hiding," which he did. Don't be discouraged, mother, your boys don't become saints all at onec. A GOOD WOMAN'S INFLUENCE.

was only one thing to do, and that

It is hardly possible to overrate the influence of a true; hearted woman, from the time it is first felt in her childhood's bome, where by of father and mother, and hy her mild, gentle love holds sway over the heart of her brother, filling his mind with images of purity and faith in woman. No man, however, dehased he may have become, if he has been blessed with such a sister, love will come unto him, until anget-like they lead him back to the path of virtue and peace.

BAND LEADS MEETINGS

East Toronto

The Band led the meetings las Bandsman Willison spoke in the Holiness meeting on "Running the race," and his words were a source of much blessing.

Stirring testimonies were given by several Bandsmen in the Salvation meeting. The address was given by Band Sergeant Thomas. One sister

On Tuesday night the Band gave their first programme. Licut.-Col-onel Morehen presided. Some splendid selections were played, and the Band saug together, "The Lord is my Shepherd," The vocal solos, duets, and recitations were much enjoyed. One comrade gave us a solo in the Dutch language. In the interval the Guards served ice cream and cake. They also sold home-made eardy in baskets. The Band played "The War Cry" as a

Captain Gage and Lieutenant Huifman are in charge.

closing selection.

SCALE PRACTICE.

Scale practice is the remedy that will help to put any Band ailment right. It is a sure medicine for weak lips, poor compass, feehle tone, car training, flexibility in fingering, articulation and intonation, and in fact it is an antidote for almost every musical ailment known to

Without a knowledge of scales and the part which each note takes in their formation, it is quite impossible for any player to play correctly in tune. A scale consists of only seven degrees (diatonic) and these seven degrees are practic ally all either a little flat or sharp according to the degree of the scale to which they belong. Hence, the knowledge of the scales is absolutely necessary if a Bandsman hopes to play in tune in his. Band. As a matter of fact, the seventh degree of any diatonic scale is at all times the sharpest note in that scale, whilst the seventh degree of a dominant scale or chord is always the flattest note in that scale or chord. Any note, chromatic, will from time to time be either the flattest or sharpest note in a seale or chord, and that is one sure reason why a Bandsman should become fully acquainted with all his seales. There is much interest and pleasure in such knowledge, also when an instrumentalist is well acquainted with his major and minor

SYMPATHY.

Sympathy is essential to good Band work. The habit of "feeling" the part should be acquired at home: always remember that unless you are soloing other instruments are playing parts in and through which yours must be woven like a thread in a texture, not thrus athwart like a battering-ram. An hour's practice with the volume never rising above piano is worth ntally be much more appreciated by the neighbours. Sustained piano playing is the finest lip and tongue test one could devise.

A WISE BIRD.

wise old owl lived in an oak The more he saw, the less he snoke The less he spoke, the more he Why can't we all be like that bled?

Brass Band Journal: A New Series

FOR many years the small Senior Bands of the Army have been pressing their claims with regard to the regular supply of music specially arranged to meet their particular

Band Books Nos. 2 and 3 were purposely designed to meet the needs of this class, and a large sale these publications bears testimony to the great demand existing for music of an easier and less extended form than that issued in the Band Journal for the use of larger more experienced Bands.

No Systematic Supply.

Band Book No. 2 was published in March, 1906, and No. 3 followed about two years later. For a considerable time these books supplied the needs of the class of Bands they specially catered for, and No. 4 would probably have been on the market a long time ago but for the As is well known, it was found difficult to keep the periodical issue of the Band Journal going during that troublesome period, and new ventures were quite out of the question. Hence the small Bands of the Army have lately been working under the disadvantage of having no systematic supply of fresh

Some of our comrades in the meantime have attempted to negotiate marches and selections from the Band Journal, and the results have been by no means complimen-Music laid out for full-sized Bands cannot possibly be satisfactory when rendered by incomplete groups. In many cases important parts are given to certain instruments not included in these small combinations, and, being omitted, the music falls to pieces, so to

Then, again, the music is alto- May,

A Blessed Experience :: SING IT

I am drinking at the fountain' (S.A. Song Book, No. 309)

would ... abide ... And my soul is sat is fied. There's na thirst ing.

for li-fe's pleas-ures, Nor a ... dorning rich und pay

Land of Beulah? Bless ... ed, bless ed Land of Light

ARE YOU DOING YOUR SHARE

IN THE GREAT CALL CAMPAIGN?

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For I've Found a richer treasure, One that fadeth not a way.
Where the flowers bloom for ever, And the sun is always bright

Cocal and the same

gether too taxing in certain cases where the instruments are not duplicated. In large Bands players are ically, and so are able to preserve a good lip. In small Bands, however, player has to keep going all

Further, the question of expense has been an important point. To be compelled to purchase six pages of music when perhaps only one or two were possible for, public use has been felt to be a real hardship

Naturally, the music will be of a nature less taxing than that issued in the ordinary Band Journal, but it should be fully understood that quality does not depend upon complexity: Simple, easy music is often more effective than that of a complicated and involved nature: "Easy but effective" will he one of the principal aims of the music, with a direct spiritual appeal as prominen and persistent as with the present Band Journals.

The instrumentation will necessarily be on a reduced scale, and, in this particular, will-correspond to 427. Parts for the following instru-ments will be issued: Soprato, first and Second Cornets, First and Second Horns, First and Second Baritones, First and Second Bass Trombones, Solo Euphonium, Bass Eb, Bass Bb, Side and Bass Drums.

Full Score For Teaching. In addition, it is proposed to issue

full score for teaching and conducting purposes.

Each issue of the Journal will consist of four pages of music, printed on strong, waterproof manilla paper, similar to that used for the current issues of the Band Jourissue ready, for sale in Canada in

CRITICISM.

feeling of superiority which the as-

We cannot avoid forming an estimate of other people's capabilities, maybe, and, provided this is done in the right spirit, and our opinions are not accepted as facts, but are held subject to entrection from experience, there is no harm done. But when this habit of mind takes the shape of narrow criticism, and the looking out for weak points

A critical spirit is too often a sour spirit; a bitter spirit; however melodiously it may speak out its thoughts it is bad in its beginning. and sometimes horrible in its end-

Let us beware. Instead of being so ready to think and speak about the imperfections, shortcomings, fail-ures, tactics, or even sine of our neighbours, let us reflect upon and, new sure fully and freely the perfections of wonders of the one.
Being Vers is beyond all criticism,
the grant Managed limself.

SONGS THAT LIVE

II.-"Just As I Am.

Miss Charlotte Elliott was ing some friend in the West End of London, England, and there me the Rev. Caesar Malan. In course of conversation he asked her it she was a Christian. The young lady resented the question, and told him it was a matter she did not wish to discuss. Several days afterwards sh apologized for her abrupt manner apologized for her acrupt manner, and confessed that his question had troubled her. She said, "I do not know how to find Christ," and with ed him, to tell her. The ministry told her, "You must come just a you are." This she did, and went away rejoicing. Shortly afterwards she wrote the beautiful hymn. "Just as I am-without one plea.

"In all my preaching," said he brother, the Rev. H. V. Elliott. have not done so much good as my sister has been permitted to accomplish by writing her one hymn," Some time after the publication of

Some time after the postuck by its beauty and spiritual value, nad in printed on leaners and culation through the kingdom, and seems to have revealed its author ship to the world. Miss Elliott be ing in feeble health, was staying a Torquay, in Devonshire, under the eare of an eminent physician. One day the doctor, who was an earner Christian man, placed one of th leaflets in his patient's hands, say-ing, "He felt sure she would like ing, "He felt sure she wome me it." The surprise and pleasure werk mutual, when she recognized het own hymn, and the doctor discover-

ed that she was its author.
When we think of the number of blood-bought souls in our ranks through the medium of this song we have no hesitation in saying will ever live imperistable within the hearts of those who have em braced the truths it contains.

BEWARE OF NARROW

Bandsmen and Songsters are exposed in an unusual degree to the danger of becoming critical. Buthow easy it is to continue the habit where it is not necessary, and how difficult to avoid doing it in the wrong spirit! People weigh up others from need at first, then; oftentimes, alas! from a certain.

then it becomes a deadly habit to the soul-

OUR INTERNATIONAL NEWS PAGE

NORWAY

WONDERFUL SUCCESS OF THE ARMY'S INVESTIGA-

Norway, being one of the most iporous maritime nations in Eurpiossesses a large merchant and many of her sons travel the ligh seas. Some of these get out of touch with home, particularly in times of international erisis. During war one-half of the inquiries made by the Investigation Department were for scamen who were lest in the great confusion which wettook the fleets of the world. The parents of one young man had not heard from him for nearly twofor help in ascertaining his where-Impelled by that superstition which still clings to the sea, many merchant sailors during the war were in the habit of changing ships very often, the idea being that distinct for them greater safety.

This lad was traced from vessel ig ressel and port to port, until it was discovered that he was about sail from England to Norway. is the authorities were loth to let any alien seamen who had sailed in war zone return to their homeland; lest they should take secrets able to the enemy, this news was received with great joy by his parmunicated with, and in reply came the sad news that on her way home the thip had gone down .with all hands in the North Sea.

The poor old parents were in despair, particularly as they could not prove the lad's presence on the vessol, and consequently were unable to dain the pension awarded by the Covernment to the relatives of men drowned at sea. Again the Army took up the case, and starting wit the vagne information "drowned somewhere in the North Sea." sueceded in gathering sufficient evidesce to claim the nension, which was duly awarded the old couple.

Twenty years ago a Norwegian apprentice ran away to sea and faild to write his parents. After a time strarectived from him news that be was in hospital, but no clue as to the location of the institution was given. Eighteen years later the tion Work, and called at our Heidonarters in Christiania with the itionnation that eighteen years preriously their lad, a sailor, was in hospital at Careiti, or perhaps Amstenjam, or perhaps Denmark, rince, or Germany-they did not at all know where. With this flimsy data inquiries were begun.

One morning word came to Adjutant Pjacrestrand that some one sished to see him. At the foot of the stairs stood an old lady shouting joy. In her hand was a letter. which she waved as she cried: After twenty years of silence, here a news from my son!"

INDIA.

Following the recent visit of Col-onel Amria Bai (Mrs. Hoe) to the Kanth and Najibabad Settlements, raging reports have come igh concerning the families who made profession of faith in If. Their lives show that a great change has taken place. To

THE CHIEF OF THE STAFF IN DENMARK Commissioner Higgins Leads Remarkable Series of Meetings at Copen-

hagen and other Centres-Unprecedented Crowds and 320 Seekers

THE idea of "history repeating itself" had to take a back place in our thoughts in connection with the Chief of the Staff's visit to the Danish Territory (writes Lient,-Colonel Knott), for from the time of arrival to the eve of departure new records were established. The Chief has been wonderfully sustained throughout, and, in spite of the disadvantages of having to speak through an interpreter, his burning messages and impassioned appeals yielded a rich harvest of souls,

Shouted Hearty Welcome.

At Eshjerg thousands of people urrounded Lieut,-Commissioner surrounded Povlsen and the Divisional Officer. and shouted their hearty welcome to the Chief as he left the boat and was marched away to commence his first meeting, It was a large crowd that filled the fine Hall, and for over an hour they listened to the red-hot message of Salvation and to the call from Calvary. Four souls vielded.

Good Friday found the Chief in Copenhagen. The day opened with sunshine and smiles. Hundreds of young men and women in buoyant spirits greezed the Chief with a great volley as he stepped on to the Temple platform. They lost no time in settling down to listen to the Chief's earnest advice, and to consider their spiritual condition in the light of the revelation of God's will. How auxious were the young people to see things clearly! How telligently they listened to the word

Evidences of real conviction were marked. A girl who came crying to the mercy-seat contessed that she had got into the meeting by pretending she was fifteen years of age when she was only fourteen. So gennine was she in her confession that after all was put right she went amongst her comrades and brought three of them to Christ ere the meeting closed. The day ended with great rejoicing over the surrender of 114 young lives for Salvation and

Heart-Searching Time.

The Soldiers' meeting the follow ing evening was a heart-searching time for some, while others, keen to understand the will of God and the wishes of their Leaders, revelled in the Chief's enthusiasm as he pleaded for uncompromising oludience to the will of Lind. mercy-scat eighty rejoiced in the deliverance they had found.

On Easter morning the Chief was again in the Temple, which was crowded. With a spirit of intense longing the large crowd followed the Chief in his presentation of the glorious benefits that come to the soul through the power of a risen Saviour. Amongst the thirty-two seekers were old men with grey hairs, and young people, tresh and hopeful. Some consecrated their lives for Officership and the Missionary Field.

The Oddfellows' Hall was the scene of the two concluding meet-

INTERNATIONAL ITEMS.

Commissioner Hoggard and Lieut.-Colonel Orr were among those invited to attend the welcome to Earl Haig in the City Hall, Cape

ings. At 4 p.m. a large congregation listened with eager interest to the Chief's address on the world-wide operations, but it was on the night meeting that the hearts of all concerned in the campaign were particularly set. The magnifi cent hall was filled when the opening song was snug. The Chief's address under the Holy Spirit was piercing and convincing; the people were gripped and compelled to search their hearts and confess their sins; and in spite of many drances the prayer meeting yielded

Odeuse is the capital of Fyen Island, and thither the Chief journeyed on Easter Monday, A mendous crowd had gathered at the station, and in an unmistakable way demonstrated their wholehearted pleasure at having the Salvation Army visitor among them, Brigadier Carl Neilsen, in a short address, bade the Chief welcome on behalf of the townspeople and The two meetings oflowed created new records for indoor gatherings at Odense and possibly for the whole country.

forty-five seekers.

Glorious Penitent-Form Scenes. It was stated that 1,500 people at-

tended in the afternoon, while at night 3,000 filled a half which has the reputation of being the largest public building in Denmark. Ministers of religion and influental pub-lic men mixed with the larger crowd of the Salvation Army's constituents. and were arrested by the powerful appeals and unadulterated truth so faithfully delivered. The penitentform was a sight never to gotten, Both Scouts and Guards were seen to bring young people forward-the last two youths come were brought by a Scout, who knelt by their side and then "stond guard" until they had found liberty One of these peritents could only pray the Lord's Prayer, or a part of it that he remembered. The thirtytwo who kuch at the mercy-seat were added to the eighty-two the Corps had prayed with during the Easter meetings.

Various was the last place to be On arrival the Chief was visited. greeted by a large crowd of citizens and Salvationists. At night the largest hall in the town was packed to listen to the fasemating story of the conflicts and victories on our far fluor battlefield. The Chief did not let such an opportunity slip by without making an appeal for the corrowler of sins and a call to more desperate work for the Salvation of others. Thirteen souls were seen pleading and praying at the mercy-

Thus ended a strennous campaign. throughout which the Chief spared no effort. Lieut.-Commissioner and Mrs. Povlsen supported him. Lieut.-Colonel Thykjaer and Brigadier Carl Neilsen fought hard in the prayer meetings, while Staff-Captain Thykjaer acquitted himself splendidly an interpreter. The Staff and Field Officers worked loyally.

Staff-Captain Peter Ferrace, who is due to leave Panama shortly, has during recem months met as the Army's representative a number of distinguished people, including the

SOUTH AMERICA

NEW MEN'S HOME OPENED BUSINESS FIRM ASKS ARMY TO UNDERTAKE SPECIAL SOCIAL OPERA-TIONS.

In the town of Sama Fe, we have opened a Home for men, having and premises suitable for this purpose, and already we have some thirty men located there. The inauguration of the new Hall of the Buenos Ayres No. Vr Corps took place recently, and in this connec-tion a special campaign was con-ducted, in which the Officers of the Region, and the Cadets from the Training Garrison took a prominent part. This campaign concluded souls at the mercy-seat.

The prisons here are regularly visited by our Officers, who are well received by the authorities. Letters have been received from some of these unfortunate men in the risons testilying to the help and blessing which they have received from the visits of the Officers, We are allowed to distribute little luxuries amongst them from time to

Colonel Palmer has been approached by the manager of a very large firm, in the Boca, which is the dock district of Buenos Ayres, to see if the Army would undertake special social operations amongs the dockers and dock labourers. In connection with this scheme, the firm would be willing to pay all exnenses and leave us an entirely free hand in any efforts we desire to carry out: their name is to he kept. in the background. This speaks well for the confidence which outpeople are willing to place in the Army, and we are hoping to take full advantage of this oppor-

CHINA

VILLAGERS SMASHED IDOLS AFTER HEARING THE TEN COMMANDMENTS READ.

I am now supplying sixteen villages with grain (writes Captain Littler of Tingh-sien, in "The Crusader"), which means that about two thousand people receive food, I have also opened a school for the was a great event; sixty carts were at the station to cart the grain 30 li to the place where it is wanted. All the nopulation turned out to see the arrival. Many hands helped to stack the grain in the school house.

Next day we distributed the grain, but before this was done I had an open-air meeting, in which I read the Ten Commandments, Soon after heard a gong sounded, and when went to see the cause, found that all men had been summoned and were busy smashing the idols of the Temple. They used ropes to pull them down, and went at them with hammers and pickaxes.

After that they gave the idols to us, and we are using them for tire-wood. I have been in many homes, and sights are enough to melt the heart of a stone. What surprises me most is the patience with which all this misery and suffering is borne. I thank God for not only being able to give them food for

the body, but to break them the

ELSEWHERE IN THIS ISSUE. The Mother's Knee

A Salvationist Mother
Reports From the Field
Some Pointed Storiettes For Bandsmen and Songsters. International Page...

OFFICIAL GAZETTE

Promotions-

To be Brigadier-MAJOR MARGARET STORES. Cashier, Territorial Headquarters.

To be Major-STAFF-CAPTÁIN ELLA MAC-NAMARA, Secretary for the League of Mercy. STAFF-CAPTAIN FLORENCE EASTON, Chief Assistant, Field Department, Territorial Head-

STARP-CAPTAIN FRED BLOSS. Assistant, Men's Social Depart-

Staff-Captainant Gilbert Best, Chancellor,

Ensien Captain Engene White, Trenton.

Retirement From Active Service-Adjutant Bertha Pickle, who came out of Leamington, June 25, 1898. and was last stationed at Hamilton II., with the rank of Commandant.

W. J. RICHARDS.

THE WAR CRY

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EDITORIAL NOTES

Mother's Day.

SUNDAY next, May 8, will be observed as Mother's Day by the Salvation Army throughout Canada East. This day of remembrance, which is entirely noble and beautiful in its conception, not only affords opportunity for a graceful acknowl-edgement of the services of our Salvation Army women, who so well combine the qualities of mother and warrior, but it establishes in the timation of all who attend our Halls-the young especially-the affection and reverence with which Salvationists regard all upon whom the sacred mantle of motherhood

The object of Mother's Day is two-fold. In the first place it is de-signed to foster filial affection in children, and secondly to bring home to mothers the sanctity, responsibility, and far-reaching influence for good or evil of their motherhood. Children are taught to celebrate the day by presenting to their mothers a white flower, the de mothers a white ilower, the emblem of the purity and fidelity of motherhood. Those whose mothers are not living are encouraged, where possible, to place on their graves a few white flowers, Salvationists who are mothers take a nent part in the meetings of

prominent part in the meetings of the day. The institution of Mother's Day is credited to a lady in the United States, something over a dozen years ago. Since that time it has become an established custom in many other countries throughout the Naturally enough, it is an increas-ingly popular custom with Salva-

BRIEF SKETCHES

Of the Staff Officers Who Have Received Promotion

We have this week the very pleasant duty of extending con-gratulations to several-Staff Officers who have been promoted. A few facts concerning them will doubtless he of interest to our readers.

Brigadier Margaret Stobbs is the Territorial Cashier, She has been an Officer for twenty-live years, en-tering the work from Winnipeg, in 1896. Converted when very young, Army by an open-air meeting. An interview with the Corps Officer followed, and she was given the Articles of War to read, Becoming convinced that God wanted her to be a Salvationist, she signed them. and was soon, afterwards enrolled as a Soldier. Soon afterwards she felt ealled to Officership, and after a brief period on the Field was appointed to the Provincial Office at Winnings, Since then she has been continually working behind the scenes, devotedly doing the duties that have been assigned to her, and thus helping on the Salvation War.

Major Ella MacNamara is Secretary for the League of Mercy. iax, in 1886, and has had a long experience in the Canadian Field. Her list of appointments includes Corps in the Maritime Provinces, Quebec, Ontario, and Western Canada. Some years ago she was given a special work in connection with the Immigration Department. This necessitated her travelling frequently across the Atlantic and conducting parties of immigrants from England to this country. In 1913 she was appointed Matron of the Rosedale Lodge, her special duty being the care of domestics who had come out under Army auspices.

As Secretary for the League of Mercy, she has the oversight of the Army's humanitarian work in the Toronto Institutions for the aged and sick. She received promotion to the Long Service Order in 19:8.

Major Florence Easton has been familiar figure around Headquarters for many years, nearly all her service being done behind the scenes at this busy centre. She came out of Toronto VI. in 1897, and was at first appointed to assist in the Wo-men's Social Work. She later became assistant to the Field Secrecamp assistant to the Field Scere-tary, and with the exception of a brief period as Educational Scere-tary at the Training College, has been connected with the Field De-partment mostly all her career, Her grasp of the details of the work of the Department make her invalu able as Chief Assistant to the Field Secretary. Whenever she has opportunity, she delights to take part week-end engagements at Corps her special talent being a musical one. As pianist to the Staff Song-sters and later to the Staff Sextette. she has rendered valuable service.

Major Fred Bloss is assistant to the Men's Social Secretary, his special work being the oversight of the Enquiry Department. For sev-eral years the Major was totally in-capacitated by illness from holding any appointment. He regards his recovery as an answer to prayer, and is very grateful to God that he is again permitted to take a share in the fight. He comes from a Salvation Army family, and entered the Work in 1896, from Dovercourt Corps, Toronto. His Field Service includes a period of pioneering in the Klondyke, Shortly after his (Continued on Page 15)

Remembrance of Mother

THE OBJECT OF "MOTHER'S DAY"-SOME MESSIGES TO READERS FROM MARRIED WOMEN OFFICERS

message to our readers in connecion with Mother's Day.

"On nothing does the Salvation of the world so much depend as in mothers possessing a correct vision of their opportunities, possibilities, and responsibilities for, and toward their children. To get this vision they must co-operate with the vision they must co-operate with the Holy Spirit, and to this end it is necessary that they be in perfect harmony with the Holy Spirit con-cerning their children. Having re-ceived the vision of God's will and nurpose for her child, the mother nust from its carliest days and ouward without swerving, permit that will and purpose to bave preeminence.

Formation of Ideals.

"It will easily he seen that her position as a mother is the greatest factor in God's hands for the formation of her child's ideals thoughts, purposes, actions, and future development. If a mother future development. It a morner will make God's purposes hers, then she can claim His power to bring about the fulfilment of His will. This will often entail the correcting and opposing of wrong in her child; this will be painful, but must not be shrunk from. Mother must always be prepared to choose for her children the path of obedience, consecration and service, and by her example lead, them to choose for example lead, them to choose for themselves, this, pathways, so, that they, like Moseam whose, mother was not afraid, od, the commands of Pharoah, thus saying the life of her child through her faith and oledience to God—when they come to years may choose "rather to suffer affliction with, they people of God than to enjoy the plegares of ain for a season !

"For the encouragement of those mothers who desire thus to train their children, I would like to add my own experience of God our Father's faithfulness to His covenant. Our own dear children were all thus led to definitely yield themselves to God and seek His Salvation, in their childhood, and a. few, years, later to again definitely choose the path of service for others, esteeming that path as affording the highest and noblest form of life."

Touched By Story. Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. Noble, in Lieut-Colonel and Mrz. Noble, in-their-days of Adjutancy, were sit-ting by the fire talking one evening about the sudden passing away of about the sudden passing away of seven was sitting near, presumably uragsed in her own way, faul when-in the middly of the night father and mother were awakened" by the sound of sobbing in the next room, they discovered that their little girl.

had been listening to all the sorrow-ful story they had been discussing. Going to the bedroom of the little maid, they inquired as to the trouble, and learned, that she was thinking of the poor man who had thinking of the poor man who had died, and was wondering if he was ready. She then went on to unsure was the word of the was ready. She then went on to unsure he was the word he ready, for ahe felt so very mughty. How glady lather parady with his little girle, but imagine his gladuess when, in the midst of conducting the meeting at the Compress. This next was the word of the word was the word

WE have asked several of our wos tent-form, there to publicly confess and seek forgiveness of her sine Such a definite conversion!

"Mothers," Mrs. Noble "don't think lightly of the court-sion of the young folk. With my though they were so young Steine to win them while they are forest to a definite conversion."

A beautiful incident took place family regarded it as a splendid or portunity to say those words which which the giver is often so shy about giving. Mother had been ill for four years, but the last year she had been laid aside entirely. This Mother's Day brought her such a letter as no money would ever purchase and such a joy as to make her than glad in the midst of her suffering It read thus: Dear Mother -

We are glad that a special day the year has been fixed in the Army as Mother's Day, when we can tell you and also show, if exen in a little way, some evidence of our love to you. We appreciate all you love to you. We appreciate all you have done for us, your patience and your kindness toward us.

We are sorry that you have and such a long illness, but we are gray such a long illness, but we are pray, ing that you will soon be better, and that we may be spared to eight other for a long time to come, ME LOVE YOU! We will not take see ond place to any children in their love and affection for their mother We hope to be a greater comfor than ever to you in the future, al though we are conscious that tight ing will console you more and afford a better return to you than to know that we are good and dutiful chi-

Please accept these flowers as;a very small token of our loving af-fection,—Cathic, Mary, Dorothy, John, Faith, Douglas, Mina.

A Saintly Mother.

Mrs. Lieut.-Colonel Morehen, in speaking of her own mother, says: "No words of mine can ever tell what a treasure she was; a saintly woman, with a personal knowledge of Jesus as her Friend from her girlhood days right through to wilen mood days right tarough to wile-hood and motherhood." Her father got converted at the first meeting led by the late beloved G neral at her home town. That night he ara new joy, and mother dear pre-cious mother, up to that time a Methodist, left her own church and joined father in his worship and service at the Salvation Army,

"This resulted in not only Mys. Morchen, but each of her byothers and sisters giving their hearts to Jesus and becoming Salvationists. "All I am," says Mrs. Morehon, "L owe to my mother's influence. She it was who took me aside and free derly explained that it was years alone Who could change my heart. What a woman among women she was! My mother's religion was the religion I eraved. From her I learned that it was not what I might say on the platform that was going to influence my children, but the life:I would live every day behind the scenes in the home. I also learned that it was a mother's duty, and should be her joy, to deal with her children concerning their soul's Salvation, right there in the bome. Then, and only then with her consciouse be clear to deal with others.

THE COMMISSIONER AT KINGSTON

Leading Military Officers and Citizens Pay Tribute to Gallant Salvationist Who Fell in Action, and also Speak Highly of Army's Work—A Crowded Week-End— Spiritual Triumphs Achieved in Many Meetings

HAPPY in the recollection of Salukion campaigns conducted by journe purpose of leading a further series of engagements of a public subprivate character. Each of think however widely differing in its bibke-up, had for its chief obellare of those present, and it was gratifying heyond words to observe and reflect upon the manifest bless-inglishich in such liberal measure, acrompanied each effort. On the Train.

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frais hardly within the scope of The War Cry" to coumerate all ioner, nor would lend itself thereto, but the list of duties devolving upon him, already ads filled to without hesitation as need by opportunity arose. The adneed or opportunity arose. The age ditials legan in the train, where a gentleman—knowing of the Army's gentleman—knowing of dealing with outgrous undertakings, and of its proved ability to achieve success where others had failed-had a lengthy consultation with the Comhier in regard to a great allimiter in regard to a great reflenction meeting certain needs to the locality in which this gentleman is interested. More may be heard of

the matter later on. silitation while approaching Kingsidiff stands out another extra duty hefore starting on his return journey to Headquarters, it was that of visiting the great Penitentiary, which it one of Kingston's most notable Reatures, the largest institution of he kind in Canada. Salvationists mister regularly to the prisoners confined here, and the Commission er's heart-interest in the helping of them while in confinement an their discharge was intensified by

Profitable Gatherings. saurday evening the Commis-sour addressed two gatherings, at tech of which he was most warraly received, and listened to in a man which left no doubt as to the hold his words had upon his hearer's hears. Most profitable seasons were these. Hallelniah!

All day Sunday the Commissioner tolled hard; and he finished well, feet with him, and in His strength he did valiantly. Whether in afferessing the Juniors in their was fiall, or in the Citadel dedicating a baby, leading the Holiness cering, speaking at the great mili-

tary function in the afternoon, pour-ing out his heart in the Salvation meeting at night, or holding an impromptu reception on matters musical, he devoted himself in the most exemplary fashion to the purpose of the moment with the this-one-thing-I-do spirit for which he has such a widely-established recurd.

The prayer meetings were great. Spiritual triumphs were achieved by the exercise of a mighty faith and splendid works, and thirteen seekers were dealt with at the penitent-form.

An event in which not only Salvationists, but also the Kingston public showed very much interest, took place in the afternoon in the Citadel, which was thronged. It was the commenuration of the Battle of Langemarck, in which Captain Charles Milton, a devoted Salvation ist, fell in the fight. The walls of the Citadel are adorned with a which is inscribed the name of our promoted comrade, together with the doubly true testimony added, "He-fought a good fight."

Bright Spectacle.

The Commissioner, who knew Captain Milton well, and held him high esteem, had by request timed his visit to Kingston to fit in with this memorable function, and met a number of prominent military offi-cers and local gentlemen prior to the opening of the meeting. The platform presented an unusually bright spectacle. Sitting beside the Ross, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., M.P.P. Rector Queen's University; Colonel Hill, C.B., C.M.G., D.S.O., A.A.G., Military District No. 3; Com-mander Evants: Major McManus; Captain Smith; Captain Harris; Lieurenants Adney, Shaw, Ling, and Sawers. There were present, also, many members of the Army and Veterans' Association, which the Commissioner is Honorary Chaplain.

"Onward Christian Soldiers" can rarely have been sung with deeper feeling than was the case on this occasion, and after the Rev. E. H. Burgess had offered prayer, Lient.-Colonel Hettridge followed with the Scripture lesson.

Commander Evans presided, and in the course of his remarks paid warm tribute to the memory of Cap-tain Milton. He had known him in camp, where his work and zeal Salvationist among the soldiers had attracted the notice of the G.O.C., and as a result he was made Chaplain, with the rank of Captain.

Such, however, was Captain Milton's desire to be with and to help the men that, fearing he might no get to the front as a chaplain as soon as he wished, he, of his own free will, reverted to the rank of private and went overseas with the 80th Hattalion of the Canadian Expedtionary Force. Very soon he was until he met his death on the battle-

Soldierly Tribute.

The wreath having, amid great solemnity, been placed on the mem-orial tablet, the chairman called on Brig.-General Ross, who was greet-ed with a tremendous outburst of applause. From personal knowledge, the General told of the terhattle of the Somme, which cost Canada thousands of her soms, among them Captain Milton. He told of losing his own second in command, his transport officer, and that even of his sixteen stretcherhearers twelve were shot down. His reference to Captain Milton was a soldierly tribute.

He also paid a glowing tribute to the work of the Salvation Army in peace and in war, and stated that none stands higher than the Salvation Army. They continually create an optimistic feeling and reformatory feeling, not only among their own people, but also in people not of their kind. He said that the Salvation Army went to places that no other organization would think of going to, and be emphasized the importance of the part they played in the life of every community.

Colonel Hill stated he was pres-

ent as a representative of the soldiers, and he had come to do honour to a soldier who had died for his

He praised the work of Captain Miltun, and congratulated the Sal-vation Army on the men that it had sent to the front, and the work that it had done during the war, and also on the dork that it did in times of

Sympathies With "Underdog,"

Mr. W. F. Niekle, K.C., declared that his sympathies were always with the "underdog," and for that reason he was always interested in the work of the Salvation Army. He remembered the unworthy reception which Kingston had accorded the Officers who started the work three many years ago, and pointed out how the work had grown into the splendid organization which was so manifest in Kingston at the present time.

Mr. Elmer Davis, the next speaker, having referred to the objeet of the meeting, went on to say that the work of the Army had filled and was filling a place in every community where it exists that is consided by no other organization. He paid tribute to the memory of the soldiers who fell in the late war, and he hoped that their sacrifice would he an inspiration to those who were left to earry on the work in hand and face the period of reconstruc-

The chairman, in calling upon Commissioner Richards said best wine had been kept to the last." and good as had been the speakers who preceded him, the intense interest with which the whole congregation followed the Commissioner's every word showed that Commander Evans' statement had its ioundation in fact.

The Band, the Songsters, and Lieut.-Colonel Adhy, by their play-ing and singing, contributed very much to this memorable meeting. which concluded with the singing of the National Anthem and the pronouncing of the benediction.

Corns Activities The many activities carried on in

the Corps reflect much credit upon the Commanding Officers, Adjutant and Mrs. Goodhew, who are loved by their own people and highly respected in the town. Mrs. Goodhew being Police Matron, Treasurer Graham is a former Mayor of Kingston. Bandmaster Grainger, Songster Leader Baker, and Sergeant-Major Woodcock are doing yeoman service in their respective spheres. The Home League is a flourishing affair, full of good works, as is also the League of Mercy, under Sister Mrs. McAuley. The Life-Saving Guards, too, is a live concern. They have recently re-organized, and now number twenty-three, under Guard Leader Winifred Kippen. Starting at the bottom, they are working their way on, and, among other services rendered, have on two oceasions visited the Mowat Sanatorium, cheering the boys with song

Colonel Adhy did full service throughout the campaign, The feeling with which he invariably renders his songs was especially marked, and added largely to the blessings obtained. Colonel Bett-ridge, detained in Montreal on Saturday owing to its being tag day, arrived in time to support the Commissioner on Sonday afternoon and

ROUND ABOUT HEADOUARTERS

Textorial Headquarters was the terne of a spontaneous outburst of section a spontaneous outburst or good/sceling on the morning of Thugsday, 21st inst., which for a briefshile put an end to the usually wriberdered routine of the place Therefact that it was the 64th anshirtsary of the Commissioner's birthday had been whispered from oneits another, so that everybody on the building-with the single exthe one most immediate-

ception of a preconcerted signal. When the moment arrived, there was a gathering of the clans from upstairs and down, and the Comof a heart-warming siege. Then, all unexpectedly, the beloved Leader of the Salvation Army forces in Canof hearty congratulations and fervent expressions of good-will, together with thanks for blessings received and noble examples set,

Not because any outward evi-dence of affection was needed, but as a symbol of all that the gathering souterned in the event—was on stood for, a bunch of magnificent mide of expectation for the re-roses—one for each of the years

lived-was then handed to the Commissioner on behalf of those around him, with the wish that he might, by the blessing of God, live to see "Many happy returns of the day!" A snitable acknowledgment, an in-spiring word upon the War, a little prayer, and a warm hand clasp all round brought to a close a pretty in-cideot, the memory of which will

But there was a sequel which greatly enhances the heauty of the After the crowd of happy Salvationists had returned to their appointed posts, the Commissioner and Mrs. Richards, with fine thought for others, took immediate steps for the distribution of the roses amongst those known to be lying upon beds of pain, several well-known Officers included, and in the doing so it cannot be doubted there was a full realization that blessed as it was to receive, it was far more blessed to give. Hallelujan!

In touch with each other daily at these Headquarters are three Staff Officers who first met as Cadets in the Training College in the Oid Land in 1884, their united service amounting to something over one or two they made at lunch time totinued on Page 18.)

THE INTERNATIONAL: SOCIAL COUNCIL

Canada East Delegates.

The following Officers will represent Canada East at the International Social Council to be held in

London, Eng., this month. Colonel and Mrs. McMillan: Lieut-Colonel Otway, Men's Social Secretary; Brigadier DesBrisay, Women's Social Secretary; Major Burrows, Toronto Industrial Department; Adjutant John Ritchie. Hamilton Industrial; Adjutant Clarke, Halifax Maternity Hospital: Adjutant Clara Ball, Toronto Woman's Hospital: Comman dant Rose Chaplin, Ottawa Chil-dren's Home: Adjutant Eliza Fag-ner, St. John Maternity Hospital; Adjutant Gertrude Hollande, Syd-

najutant Gerride Honande, Syd-ney Maternity Hospital: Staff-Cap-tain George Thompson, Chancellor, Newfoundland Sub-Territory. They will sail from Montreal ou STAFF SEXTETTE

Pays Visit to Peterboro-Veterans March to Citadel-Music and Song Touch Many Hearts.

During the week-end, April 23-24 this Corps received a visit from the Staff Sextette, of Toronto. On Sat-urday night a Musical Festival was given, presided over by Mr. Joe Wearing, a prominent lawyer, and warm friend of the Army.

On Sunday morning the G.W.V. A. had their annual church parade to the Salvation Army Temple. and some forty ladies of the Wovice opened with the singing of that grand old hymn, "O God, our help in ages past," followed by prayer and an address of welcome to the veterans by Adjutant Bunton. A heautiful quartette by members of the party paved the way for a heart-to-heart talk by Captain Robertson, who himself having spent five years at the front, instantly won his way

The chief address was given by Commandant McElhiney, who knew most of the veteraus, many of whom had cause to thank God that the Commandant had ever been station-ed in Peterboro, and had been such guide and counsellor in homes while they were on the field of battle. Because of this fact, there was a deep hond of sympathy between the speakers and his hearers, and because his own heart was overflowing with the memory of that time of strain for the dear fellows and their loved ones, many a

heart was touched The afternoon service .. took the form of a Musical Festival, and ward by the beautiful harmonies. Mr. G. O. Cameton, another staunch friend of the Army, was chairman. He was supported by the Mayor, Mr. G. N. Gordon, M.P., and other prominent gentlemen.

In the night meeting two vocal martettes were rendered; hacked up by a personal testimony from Cap-Beer and Captain Robertson, "God is near thee." Very tender was the feeling with which this flynn was rendered. Captain Laurie gave au address. The prayer meeting was ced to see six persons kneeling at ..

the mercy-seat. Twice between Sunday's meetings the visiting comrades hurried to an outlying district where a suffering Salvatonist who is pearing the River was blessed by their shought-

WITH THOSE IN PRISON

More Reports of the Army's Activities on "Prison Sunday"

THE following additional reports concerning the meetings held in various jails on "Prison Sunday."

Brigadier Moore, accompanied by Adjurant Owen and Ensign Lauric, conducted a special meeting at the Dorchester Penitentiary on Satur-day afternoon, April 16, The Brigadier piloted the proceedings and kept the crowd, which filled the chapel, interested. Ensign Laurie gave some splendid music on variour instruments Adiutant Owen read the Bible lesson, and great interest was manifested by the men.

The Warden Mr. Meighen, who was the essence of kindness, and his staff, appreciated the meeting very The Rev Mr Thomas in troduced the party to the "hoys," and his kindly manner was much appreciated. Quite a number desired to be interviewed by Brigadier Moore, and the warden made it nossible for him to do so.

Adjutant Smith conducted an inspiring meeting with the men in the Ottawa Jail. He made a strong appeal for faith in God as the hope for fallen men, and eight men knelt at the penitent-form seeking Salva-

A special feature of the meeting was the singing. This was much enoved by the men. Brothers Fry and Bowman, from No. I. Corns, with Corps Cadet Lizzie Duncan and Adjutant Smith formed the quarrette, which proved a good singing combination. Brother Bowman also

contributed a solo.

At the same time as the men's meeting was in progress, a meeting in another part of the jail was being conducted with the women prisoners by Ensign Waldroff, assisted by Sisters Mrs. Duncan and Wells and Corps Cadel Edith Nunn. Other visitors who took part in the service were Miss Campbell of the Police Department, and Mrs. Fallis. of the Mackay Presbyterian Church. The latter gave a very helpful ad-

Adjutant Ursaki and Adjutant

Wells of the No. I and No. III. Corps conducted the meeting in the St. John Prison. Through the kindness of the officials, a goodly numher of prisoners were present and enjoyed the stirring and earnest talk of the two Officers. Adjutant Wells read the Scriptures.-Commandant

Commandant Mercer, accompanied by Secretary Woolrich, conducted the meeting at Owen Sound Jail. Mr. Greer, the Jailer, was very kind.

Ensign Chambers, assisted by ter Fritz, Brother S. Collumbell, and Mr. Gilmour, a friend of the Army, land fail. Sister Fritz and Brother Collumbell sang a duet. Mr. Gil-mour gave a personal testimony, and strongly appealed to the men to live a higher and nobler life through Irsus Christ

The service in the Sault Ste, Marie Jail was conducted by Mrs. Colonet Jacobs, accompanied by the Corps Band, a number of Soldiers, and Captain Green. A soul-stirring testimony was given by Bandsman the Devil's ranks, served a term in the Salvation Army and its minis-try in this jail, because it was through their efforts and interest he was able to assist in saving, instead of blighting, other lives. attention was given to ope of the has been demonstrating the fact that God can save and keep a man, even whilst serving a term in jail. He had, by the grace of God, con-He had, by the grace of Look con-quered the habit of smoking. The Band played a couple of marches, the Male Choir sang, and after other testimonies, both from Soldiers and prisoners, Mrs. Jacobs closed with some very fitting and profitable remarks, and during the prayer meetand asked for pardon. One has shown marked signs of a changed

MONTREAL TAG DAY

Enthusiastic Workers Secure Over Five Thousand Dollars.

One thousand Montreal taggers woke on Saturday morning lest to hear the rattle of rain on the roofs and windows. At this was the day looked forward to and planned for for a month, they were not cheered by the sound. Without doubt, this had an effect on the day's total.

folk: and nothing daunted, the workers began to sally forth, some of the braver members at six in the morning. The early travellers were accosted with "Buy a Salvation Army tag, please?" Later, as the rain ceased, their numbers were materially added to.

There was a very complete organ-ization of workers ready for the day to dawn. We went to rest late the night before, feeling that all that could humanly be done had been done to make the day a success. Provision for covering every section of Montreal and surrounding muni-cipalities was made.

A number of the younger taggers were deterred from going out with favourable weather. However, considering weather conditions and the number of unemployed in the city,

we feel gratified with the total. After a strengous day for the laggers on the street, four autos made the collections of boxes from the various headquarters and touk them to the Canadian Bank of Commerce, where a special corps of workers. augmented by members of the bank staff, opened the hoxes, counted the money, and tabulated the results.

At 11.30 the total was known, an amount exceeding \$5,000.

We cannot speak too highly of the splendid co-operation given by the Corps Officers and Soldiers, and wonderful response that came from the Churches, Sunday Schools, and Public Schools to our appeal for

ROUNDABOUT HEADQUARTERS

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day to those far-off times reveals how much unrecorded history the Army, has, and what joy, there is to be found in fighting under the Flag-Long life to Lieut. Colonel Otway, Lieut.-Colonel Adby, and Brigadier Southall, All of them are being asked to give "War Cry" readers some of their experiences by readers some of their experiences by each relating what seems to him the most outstanding incident in his years of service. We shall hope to print the three incidents next week. PERSONAL SKETCHES No. X .- Adjutant Mrs. Thorne

Better known as Captain Day Salvation Army career by donning the Army bonnet at seven years of age. Well she remembers the plain blue coat and the bounce of that day, with the three hows on tap and the strings which tied under the china. However, when fourteen, vears of age, she made her way to the penitent-form, and there publicly. sought Salvation

A Training School.

Nine years in one of London's largest workrooms proved to our comrade what Moses inrty years! wilderness experience was to him! a training school. As the only Sale vationist there, times of persecution were at first her lot, but in due course she had the joy of secult some of the two thousand girls; made into Salvation Army Soldiers. Corps Cadetship was a great by and blessing to Sister King, as were also the Young People's Councils. held periodically at the Clapton Congress Hall, London, At seven teen years of age; our comtade was Young People's Sergi.-Major of Blackfriars Corps, and at twenty she was the Corps Cadet Guardian of Kennington Lane Corps.

A desire for Missionary Work est Junior days, when she was dressed in a sari and sat on the platform with several other rhibireties a Missionary demonstration. Beingsmall and frail, it really seemed that the way to Officership was barred; specially as at the very moment when it seemed that her acceptance-was probable, the sudden death of her father left her with a widowed mother to support for a few years?" However, after being in Canada for nearly a year, the way to Officership opened and Sister King found herself the proud possessor of the two rows of yellow braid, and an ap-Home.

A short term there, and she was farewelled for Newfoundland, have ine previously had some little experience in day-school teaching. Ju, very short time she carned her first-grade certificate as a school teacher, and later her Senior Tripity College certificate for piano playing and all certificates for shorthand. A busy time followed, teaching school during school hours, and giving music lessons to some thirty pupils after hours,

Called to India.

After a stay of a little more han four years, a serious breakdown in health necessitated her leaving her beloved school teaching, and as soon as she was well enough an appoint-ment to Toronto Headquarters was given her. Here again she distinctly not her varied experiences helped to fit her for the life of a Missionary? She prayed about it, and soon her hopes were realized; she was ac-lepted for India.

In November, 1914, Caprain King-

started out tremblingly, feeling her unworthiness, weakness, and in-capability for such a high calling, Simla Headquarters was her first simila recaquarters, was her lift appointment, and what with stend-graphy, record-keeping, housekeeping, which was an panist for the Simila Corps, thea as an extra came the editing of "The War Cry," there was little time for homesickness. homesickness.

While here, she and Captain Thorne met and were united. After their mariage they were sent to Calculta, and afterward to Delhi, the present Capital of India. Here their little girl was transferred to Continued on Page 15) NOTES OF INTEREST

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Mrs. Colonel Martin has beer elected Vice-President of a Comdustrial Home just outside the City means to rescue young girls and help them, instead of allowing them to be consigned to the Penitentiary.

Mrs. Colonel Martin led a spiritual neeling with the No. I. Home League members last week.

Stiff-Captain Thompson renre-Sented the Salvation Army in the College Hall last Sunday evening at a meeting held under the auspices of the Lord's Day Alliance, over 900 men being present.

Staff-Captain Thompson has been posited to represent Newfound at the International Social

Commandant Ogilvic has now refired from active service after thirtyix years of inithful and devoted toil as an Officer. '

Mrs. Adjutant French recently reerired a message to say that her joungest sister has passed away, learning a husband and four small thildren. Pray for her.

Adjutant Canning (Grand Bank) reports forty-three souls at one time, and twenty-cight at another ness men are closing their stores in order to attend the afternoon meetings.

BELL ISLAND

Staff-Captain and Mrs. Thompson Lead Week-End Meetings-Fourteen Seckers.

Staff-Captain and Mrs. Thompson risted Bell Island last week-end. The Chancellor spinke in the Young People in the atternoon. Sergt. Bugden and his helpers are bigot bagger and its helpers are to be congramulated on the splendid modition of the Voung People's Work, Brother C. Butler's boys orm a very interesting section of the Company meeting.

All through the day the people who attended appeared to be eagerly drinking in the truths of God. At night the Citade; was full, and fourten souls knelt at the Cross for

Commandant and Mrs. Stickland have got a good hold of the people.

BAY ROBERTS.

Commandant Peter Sainshury files to say that eventy souls proed Salvation last week. Nine Solciers were enrolled,

is difficult to imagine how haff is the lot of the woman whose hashind is sent to jail. The breadsmall gone, she has to assume the

SALVATION WAR IN NEWFOUNDLAND LIFE-SAVING GUARDS

Give a Special Demonstration at St. John's-Colonel Martin Presides -Brigadier Prescott is Welcomed COLONEL MARTIN presided at a very special demonstration a very special demonstration given by the St. John's I. and II. Life-Saving Guards, under the leadership of Guard Leader Cath-

erine Cave, of St. John's II. They were assisted in the work by Adjutants Sainsbury and Morgan, This demonstration was given at

Easter, when our good friend, Mr. I. Morris, the Deputy Mayor, acted as chairman, and was so well atnded that repeated requests poured in to have it over again,

The title was, "God's Flower Land." Different troops of girls represented the following flowers; lities, violets, daisies, buttercups, and roses. As each troop came on the platform it was met by a stranger on the road, and some interesting songs and dialogues resulted. Finally the whole of the party, consisting of about thirty girls, dressed in their different costumes, gathered around a huge arch built on the platform, and in between the trees. which represented a lovely forest, they sang several of the songs of the flowers represented.

These two services netted \$230, of which \$110 was given out as charity to the poor, and the balance divided among the two troops. The Colonel congratulated the organizers and closed in prayer,

Brigadier Prescott and Ensign Pedersen have arrived, and on Tues-day last the Colonel arranged for all the City Officers to meet at the College over a cup of tea. The Brigadier was introduced to each Officer personally, the Ensign not being able to get there on account of illness at the home.

Mrs. Stafi-Captain Thompson welcomed the Brigadier on behalf the women Officers of Newfoundland, after which Mrs. Colonel Martin spoke, and told how she had known the Brigadier for over twenty years, and greeted her as a real wo-man of God. The Brigadier spoke very freely, and one could easily see that she felt quite at home. Her experience in the Women's Social will no doubt be a great help to Newfoundland.

The public welcome meeting was ouducted at night, in the No. II. Citadel. The Chancellor lined out the first song and Mrs. Adjutant French prayed God's blessing on the gathering. Mrs. Staff-Captain Tilley gave out the second song: then the Colonel read a portion of

ing, and joins most heartily in the

singing, beating time as she sings, and always anticpates the "Amen"

of the Adjutant by quite a few sec-ords. To her, "Daddy's coming home one day" is all she seems to

know, but to the tired little mother,

who goes off every morning and re-turns at the very tick of six every

evening, this two years is a very

Scripture, and spoke of the purpose of the meeting, and then called upon Mrs. Staff-Captain Thompson to speak representing the Newfound-land women Officers, Soldiers, and friends, which she did in a very pleasing manner. Mrs.- Colonel Martin again spoke of the long and faithful service of the Brigadier, and wished her God-speed in her new

On behalf of the whole Salvation Army in Newfoundland, the Colonel received the Brigadier. The audience heartily greeted the Brigadier, and very attentively did they listen to her words. She her many experiences on the Continent, and in the many different places that she had been stationed.

The excavation of the new Maternity Hospital is well under way. nny Hospital is well under way, superintended by Envoy Martin, of St. John's III. Sergt. Major Wil-liam Cummings, of St. John's II., has the honour to superintend and complete the building, which, when finished, will be a first-class hospital, and will be a very necessary institution for St. John's.

Colonel and Mrs. Martin led the Sunday murning and night meetings at St. John's L recently. The Holi-ness meeting was well attended. ness meeting was well attended, which speaks good for the spiritual atmosphere of the Corps. Both the Colonel and Mrs. Martin spoke very feelingly to the hearts of the people At night the Citadel was throng-

The Chancellor and Mrs. Thompson accompanied our Leaders at this meeting After some real live testimonies

by several comrades, the Colonel gave a stirring address. Two souls came to God in the prayer meetine.

Brigadier Prescott and Ensign Pedersen led the morning and night services at St. John's H. Staff-Captain and Mrs. Thompson accom-panied them in the forenoon, and the Chanceflor introduced them to the andience, this string the first appearance of the finsign at a meet-

g since her arrival. The Brigadier thanked all presfor the very warm welcome, and then called upon the Ensign to speak, who, in ther own pleasing manner, gave a good straight testimony of Salvation.

A splendid crowd attended the meeting at night.

GRAND FALLS

Two Hundred Seekers During Special Campaign—Thirty Soldiers Enrolled.

During the visit of Major Gallaher, over two hundred souls knelt at the Cross. A great number also at the Cross, a great number also placed themselves upon the altar for a deeper work of grace. The Major's visit has been a real

uplift to our souls. Thirty new Solers were enrolled by the Major, and there are more to follow.

There have also been three weddings of late. Brother Charles Richards was united to Sister Young; then followed Brother Bray, who was united to Sister Groves of Bonavista; then came our worthy Secretary, in the person of Brother Cater, who was united to Sister ing, sister of the Bandmaster.

Work is starting on our Young People's Hall in a few days, and there is a rumour of several more instruments being added to the

SPRINGDALE.

Sixty Seekers at the Cross-Five Soldiers Enrolled.

Since last report, upwards of sixty have knelt at the Cross, ten for etification and the remainder for Salvation. We are expecting even greater things in the near future.

Easter Sunday was a day well spent. Following a short service, we left our Hall at seven a.m. for a five-mile march. The power of God came mightily upon us at the meeting which followed. Two of the forty present at this early service and march are good old veterans. viz., Quartermaster H. Oxford, who is in his sixty-seventh year, but an active worker in the service of God, and Colour-Sergeant J. Marshall, who has recently celebrated his seventy-first birthday, and regularly

attends the services. In the afternoon an enfolment took place. Five more were added to our number of Soldiers. In the evening service the power of God was made manifest. Three precious souls knelt at the Cross and obtained forgiveness from sin.

FORTUNE.

Captain Shute recently visited us, Captain Snute recently visited us, and conducted impressive meetings.

Ensign and Mrs. Cornick are in charge here. Good crowds attend the meetings, and many are getting saved. The Ensign is also the sehool tcaeher.

DADDY'S IN JAIL

But His Dependants Are Being Looked After by the Army.

onsibility for the family, as as to bear the shame of her bashed's downfall. It would seem er portion is really harder

one of our Institutions to-day hance little woman of good appearance, with a really taking little girl. The child has become the per hard-to-be-endured period. Were it not for baby's prattle, she fears it of the place, and at all hours would be unendurable. But baby bright little face and happy singing keeps her alive. turn the Institution into a home. Father never thought it would She comes in to prayer every morn-

come to this, and when he was sentenced to those two long years in jail, his first thoughts were for gone out to work-what would she do? A Salvation Army Officer visits the jail, and he feels like asking his advice in the matter. He soon gets an opportunity, and arrangements are made for the woman and her child to be accommodated at the

lustitution, and for light employment to be found for her till daddy comes home again. Reports to hand from the Jail Officer lead one to believe that daddy will come home a wiser and better man than ever before. Mother is wondering whatever she would have done had the Salvation Army woman Officer not come along the day she did and taken her away where she could be as happy as it was possible to be under her trying circumstances. "Ah." says the Adjutant, "she is a dear little woman, and worthy of all we can do for her

SALVATION SOLDIER'S ARMOURY

ORDERS AND REGULATIONS

For Soldiers of the Salvation Army NO. XXVII.—CARE OF THE

RODY. This is very important to the Sal-vation Soldier. He cannot get on in this world without a body, and will get on a great deal better if that

body is in a good, healthy, and vigorous condition.

The care of the body is not only important with respect to his perprogress, seeing that it is easier to helieve God in good, vigorous health than it is in bad.

It also has to do with its usefulness. If he has physical strength, vigorous energy, and good spirits, he will be much more likely to engage earnestly in soul-saving work, and to succeed in it when it is undertaken.

It is, therefore, for the glory of God, the Salvation of souls, and his own perseverance in the heavenly course that he should take care of

bis body.

In this matter he should exercise his own careful judgment. No wonder people have such miscrahle health, and, when sick, use sneb senseless remedies, and sometimes sacrifice their lives, and the lives of those who are dear to them in conthose who are dear to them it con-sequence, seeing that they bestow so little trouble in enquiring about the subject, and therefore, have no practical knowledge of the laws of health and simplest methods of curing disease.

GOOD MOTHERS

And What Their Children Thought of Them

Upon a tombstone erected by a family of children was the inscrip-"Our mother. She always made home happy."

Augustine, who was so prominent in the early church, was a very wicked man until he reached the age of twenty-nine. His mother, Monica, never ceased to pray for his con-version, however. The very journey which he met Ambrose, under whom he was converted, was a jour-ney planned against his mother's wishes; hut she prayed on, and God heard.

Cecil, though once full of skeptical notions, said afterward, "There was one argument I never could get over,—the influence and life of

a godly mother."

A little child was once asked,
"Where do you live?" Turning toward his mother, who stood near by, the little one said, "Where mamma is, there's where I live." In answer to the question, "What makes home?" Dr. James Hamil-ton's answer was, "A mother's love."

DEGREES IN BACK-SLIDING.

The stages in the descent may b slow, and often imperceptible. The slittle foxes spoil the vines. Little aegligences of duty bring darkness on the soul, and ear out its spiritual joy. Little temptations betray it to the power of the chemy. By grad-ual departures from God, and little indulgences in sin, one at length

AN OLD-TIME MOTHER THE ADDITION

Some Lessons We May Learn from the Story of Hannah

T was a long while ago that she lived, and the fashions have changed so greatly, and there has been such advancement in all the arts of life since she brought up her boy, that it may seem idle to study the story in these wise modern days; yet the little time necessary to look at the old picture may not be altogether wasted.

Blessings From God.

For one thing, Hannah, as a mollier, was enthusiastic. She was not one of those women who think children undesirable incumbrances. She did not consider herself, in her carlier married years, particularly fortunate in being free from the cares and responsibility of mother-hood. She believed that children were blessings from the Lord, that motherhood was the highest honour possible to a woman, and she sought, reverently and very earnest-ly, from God, the privilege of pressing a little child to her bosom and calling it her own. This suggestion calling it her own. I mis suggestion from the ancient picture we must not overlook in these days, when children are not always looked upon as blessings from the Lord, nor even always welcomed.

For another thing, when Hannah's child caose she considered it a part of her religious duty to take care of it. Instead, therefore, of going up to Shiloh to attend all the great feasts, as she had done before, stayed at home for some time to give personal attention to the and who was still too young to he taken with safety and comfort on such long journeys. No doubt she supposed that she was worshipping God just as acceptably in doing this as if she had gone up to the great meetings. And who will say that she was not right? A mother's first obligations are to her children. She can have no holier or more sacred duties than those which relate to them. No amount of public religious service will atone for the neglect of

Care For Children.

Some things must be crowded out of every earnest life, but the last thing to be crowded out of a mother's fife should he the faithful d loving care of her children,

Another thing about Hannah was that she looked after her own baby. She was old-fashioned enough to prefer to nurse her own child. She does not seem to have felt it any great personal deprivation to he kept at home rather closely for a year or two on this account. She even appears to have thought it a high bonour and a distinguished privilege to be a mother, and to do with her own hands a mother's duties. And when we think what this child that she nursed became in after years, what the outcome was her pains and toils, it certainly looks as if Hannah was right.

The great want of this age is mothers who will live with their own

mothers who will live with their own children, and throw over their ten-der lives all the mighty power of their own rich, warm, Joving-natures. If we can hage a genera-tion of Hannahs, we shall then have a generation of Samuels growing up-under their wise, despited nurtures?

under their wise, despited nuture; There is one other-feature in this old-time mother that should not be overlooked. She affired her child for the Lord. From the Very-Sirse, she looked upon him as God's child, not her's, and considered herself only God's nurse, who duty it was to be the same head to the child. only God's nurse, who duty it was to bring up the child for a holy life, and service. It is easy to see what a dignity and splendour this gave to the toilsome round for motherly, tasks and duties which the successions. sive days brought to her hand. This was God's child that she was nurswas God's child that she was nursing, and she was uringing that up for the Lord's service in this worlds. Nothing ever seemed dradgers and duty to her little one was been distasteful, with this thought ever distasteful, with this thought ever glowing in her heart. Need any woman have loftier or more poweriul inspiration for toil and self-for-

God's Little Ones.

And is there any mother who may not have the same inspiration, as commonplace nursery tasks? Was Samuel God's child in any higher sense, when Hannah was nursing him, than are the little ones that lie in the arms of thousands of mothers to-day? In every mother's ears, when a haby is laid to her bosons there is spoken, by the breath of the Lord, the holy whisper, if she but have ears to hear the Divine Voice. "Take this child and nurse it for Me." All children belong to God, and He wants them brought un for holy missions. Every mother is, by falls upon her, consecrated to the sacred service of nursing, moulding sacred service of nursing moulding, and training an infant life for God, Hannah understood this, and found her task full of glorg. But how manyemeven among. Christian many even among Christian mothers, fail to understand it, and, unsustained by a consciousness of the dignity and blessedness of this high calling, look upon its duties and self-denials as painful tasks, a round of toilsome, wearisome drudgery

every mother to sit down quietly be-side Hannah, and try to learn her secret. It will change the humbles nursery into a holy sanctuary, and transform the commonest, lowlest duties of motherhood into services as splendid as those the radiant and gels perform before the Father's

BE SYMPATHETIC.

Sympathy means to get off your own centre for an instant, and try to see things from the other fellow's see things from the other tellow's point of view. It is not mere pity for his pains, or his troubles, or his dif-ficulties. Pity is a blind emotion at its best; sympathy is open-eyed. It cannot rest content with any-thing short, of understanding the

man, and even if he be wrong, find-

ing what fragment of right he holds fast even in his wrongness. And while pith it instituctive, sympathy is a fruit of ineral culture. It comes to the control of the contr

Jolfy the Joket." A Life-Saving Scott Story, By Nocl Hope, Hustrated by No J. Gibbs, Price St. Oth. Postage Genetary, Order from the France Secretary, Januar and Albert Sta., Toronto.

JOLLY THE JOKER !

The Life-Saving ut Organization of the Salvation, Army is, comparatively speak ing, in its infancy. It barely seven years, and during considerably more than half that time its development was sen ously arrested by the war. But it has already provided some direly literature, the most recent example which is an octavo volume of two hundred pages bearing the title, "Jolly The Joker." This is a story without any particular the conventional sort, but with any number of thrilling chisodes which are, well calculated to delight the minds of youthful readers, and no

Jim Brown, whose nickname "Jolly" and whose predeliction for practical joking gives the title to the narrative, possesses such nimble wit, exuberant spirits, and determined purpose as to make him a lac of much promise. He is the eldest son of the Corps Treasurer, a rela-tionship which, combined with his outstanding abilities, invests his gang which forms a kind of rival to Life-Saving Scouts, His it is to command rather than obey. seems to be the reason why he himself has left the Patrol, for whose Leader, Jack Bright, he afterwards

lack of practical and manly Jessons which will ensure the story's accept-

ance with parents and others.

no doubt by jealousy.
Without doubt Jolly has in him the making of a splendid Scoot. He has dash and energy, is afraid of nothing, and quick-witted esough to get out of many of the scrapes into which he falls. But somehow all his good qualities are worse than useless to him because they become story shows how surely they drie him down and drag down others a the gang of which he is the acknow

affects a hitter dislike, engendered

one hy one the gang is absorbed into the Scouts, until only Jolly and Job Fisher are left. To "get ever" Job Fisher are left. To "get every with the "Patrol the you plan," a devillah enterprise akin to highway rohbery, one of the victims of which is to be Jobly's fittle brother. Harold; but the intended thereig fall out on the question of who should pocket the gains. Job, who is a smeak, deserts his companion to is a meak, deserts his companion the moment when they agreed 70 act, and the enraged Jolly, in polysing him, falls in the darkness and suffers serious injury. In the soft home, he lies and suffers in might, and miles from home, he lies and suffers in might got how the soft with a body. How Jolly soft his falls from the hands of the Seous is held from the hands of the Seous is held as the soft hands of the Seous is held. designed to wrong, need not be told here. "Jolly the Joker" is an excel-

WHAT'S DOING ROUND THE WORLD

CONTENTED IMMIGRANTS

Are a Good Asset to the Country. . W/E should extend the hand of W welcome to the people who Manning Doherty, speaking on the

recently in Toronto. have had the opportunity of hearing the testimony of some of our

Making a Country Road

WHAT HAS TO BE DONE TO MAKE IT FIT FOR TRAFFIC

OAD building under the old statute labour system seldom accomplished any satisfactory re-sults, for the reason that there was well defined plan on which to

twelve feet wide for the metaled centre of the road,

It is useless to roll a dry, sandclay road hefore it has been thoro-ughly mixed by the puddling pro-

A BOY'S WORTH Some Things to Bc Considered in Employing Him.

FEW will quarrel with the view that a boy in his 'teens should not be deliherately subjected to a temptation that might prove too much for him.

Yet banks and business houses which put a premium on honesty pay young hoys \$5 or \$6 a week, and place within their reach thous-



THE FIRST STEP IN ROADMAKING-GRADING UP WITH A SCRAPER

inged in these days. Every man then has prepared to help his negabour and fellow-man. There We would be a happier people even We would be a mappier people even a these days of rush and speed if we had some of this spirit." Hop. Mr. Doherty said he would also include in the text-books to be

readin public schools stories of the self-sacrifice and heroism of the early pioneers of the Province. "It oold make us realize what we owe was early pioneers," he said. The Minister declared that the overnment was in favour of an ininmigration campaign, but will certain provisions. He was considered that a contented immiwas an asset to the Province, it was better that the Province have 100,000 immigrants with a chance of success than of whom 200,000 might be He stated that while the lace should welcome immi-fe it would insist that all diabide by our laws and in-

THE SPRING FLY.

Should Be Swatted Without Mercy. his stated that the unusually mild separate that the unusually mild history pressures a season that the development of the development of which are made that spread onside place germs. The winter "hang-onside their are considerable number of their are carly five is the nonbut The early fly is the pro-题 put one now means that there she fewer billions to kill this small, if you don't kill it now has ste endangering life.

one that the common house-fly has tone to be regarded not only as one of the most annoying and repulsive transfer, but one of the most dangering the common to its capacity to gather, disseminate the germs of proceed. Earth roads were kept in only passable shape, while even the gravelled surfaces failed at critical seasons of the year (says the Montreal "Family Herald and Weekly

A new era is dawning when the main highways, at least, will be graded, drained and provided with hardened surface capable of hearing the heaviest traffic. Under the inion Highways Act a total of \$424,274 was paid in 1920 for the construction of roads in the various Provinces. The grants will continue to be provided for further extension and improvement of trunk .It is, however, with the ordinary

earth or sand clay roads as shown in the above illustration that our readers are most directly concerned. In certain parts of the country it has been possible to improve stretches of loose sand by a process of mixing or pudding of the sand and clay. The first step is to thoro-ughly mix the clay, an operation that can be done only by the addition of water during the process of mixing until the clay becomes plastic like mortar. The second essential is the addition of sand to the point of saturation. Eight inches depth is sufficient when completed to form a sand-elay metalling, from ten to

cess and the grains of sand have been brought into contact with only the interstices between them filled with clay as a binder. operation is mixing (which can be done with the use of a spike-tooth drag, with teeth shauting back-wards); the second is rolling as the mixture dries. This forces the par-ticles of spaid together and the mixture dries, anis forces the par-ticles of sand together and any ex-cess of elay tends to rise to the sur-face, rendering it sticky. This clay must be in turn sanded, and the

operations repeated until the surface has become hard and compact. Many failures have been made in the building of sand-elay roads, and one of the causes is the want of perfect drainage. It is customary to perfect trainage. It is customary to give to the sand-elay road a little greater erown than is given to a macadam or gravel road, especially where the grade is above three per cent. The subject of side ditches should have more careful consideration than is usually given. If the subsoil upon which the road is built is clay, it is important that the bottom of the side differs should be eighteen inches or more below the crown or middle of the travelled track. The better the surface is eared for, i. e., the smoother the surface is kept, the less the crown required. The more level the road, other things being equal, the easier to travel on.

SPRING FOREST FIRES. rains come on and the new grass and new foliage starts the danger ONE of the most dangerous seasons of the year in regard to foris greatly reduced. People do not est fires is now approaching, and it behoves all who go into the forrealize that just at the close of win-ter, through which there is scarcely est on any business to be careful with fire. When the snow leaves any danger from fire in the woods, eomes on the most dangerous season. Care by all who go into the the forest, last year's leaves, grass, and twigs are left as dry as tinder, and a lighted match or cigarette woods at this time means a great reduction in the fire-hazard. All should realize their responsibility in stub thrown down carelessly falls into material as inflammable as a this connection, and help preserve our country's forests, barrel of shavings. After the spring

Chicago judge paroled a youth who had stolen a large sum of money irom the hank in which he was employed, and applied a stinging re-buke to the bank officials for having placed the boy in the way of such a temptation. So little has been spoken against this custom that husiness men probably follow it unthinkingly.

They take the ground that such small salaries are all that a boy is worth. It means only what boy is worth in dollars and cents to that particular concern. It takes no account whatever of what he is

ands of dollars in cash and securi-ties which may be theirs if they can "get away with it." Recently a

worth to society, and what he is worth to his father and mother. worth to us statter and mother. Neither does such an estimate make any inventory of the boy's hopes and ambitions and possibilities for the coming years. These are things which indicate the real worth of a boy. And no business concern should be appreciated to assaylite thomastic. permitted to gamble them away in great and untimely risk simply for the sake of saving the extra amount of salary which would be required to hire a matured person for positions of responsibility.

SCHOOL'S FOR THE DEAF. THERE are seven schools for the

pupils. The largest school is at Belleville, with 239 pupils, the small-est at Vancouver, B.C., with 38 pupils. The other schools are loeat-ed at Halifax and Montreal, there being three institutions in the latter

In the United States the deaf population in the schools is 13,654, The largest school is at Mt. Airy, Pennsylvania, with 533 in attendance. These statistics show that Canada has kept pace with the United States in providing schools for the deaf. .

The Boarders at Mrs. Brown's Were a Rough and Thoughtless Lot Until a Newcomer Reminded Them of Something. a certain family reunion, the thought; and in a very brief space

A conversation, turned upon the question as to how far people's lives; were really shaped by a mother's in-

"I have seen a good deal of the world," said n fine looking, middleaged man, from the West, who was ing a few weeks ut his old home, and I have found that most men have tucked away, in some cases, it may be, down in the most remote corner of their heurts, a great tender-

Taking Boarders.

"I remember, when I first went to the West, as a clerk in one of the offices of the C.P.R., that I wept to board with a certain widow who was trying to gain a living for herself, and to educate her children, by taking rattroad boarders.

"Mrs. Brown's busband was killed on our road while on duty as an engincer," said the paymaster, as he walked with me across the depot platform. "She has just taken that large frame bouse which you see youder on the corner, and has gone to keeping hoarders. She is a goodhearted, worthy woman, and we are all anxious to have her succeed. But it is new business for her, and 1 can see that she already looks tired and discouraged. Perhaps our boys worry her some," said the paymaster, in bis kindly way. "Tell her you are one of our men from the Eust, and that I sent you, and she will make you com-

"I was an entire strauger in the place, and to all the railroad boys, and was homesick enough, as, grip in hand, I trudged down the muddy street of the mushruoin Western chy, and presented myself before good Mrs. Brown; She at once ushered me into the dining-room, and gave me a general introduction to the dozen or fifteen young fellows who were seated about the aupper-table. They were good-looking, tidily-dressed chaps, some of them Eastern chaps, more or homesick, and all of them bent upon having all the fun they could out of anything that came along.

"They gave me a cordial greeting, ather too uproarious, however, I

was one of them, seated familiarly at the well-stocked table, and answering their many questions. Presently one of them said to me, This is just the gayest place to board at that we have ever struck. You see there is no 'man

of the house, and we boys run the shehang to suit ourselves, and just about drive the old lady out of her wite sometimes. 'Look bere, Tyler, it's your turn to drink up the tea milk to night, and call for more, he continued, And, Benjamin, it's your turn to eat up the sugar. You see we make it a point to clear the table at every meal [to me] Here, Jim, empty the salt-cellar into your pocket, and slug out for some horseradish, which you know she

"We always eat horseradish on jelly-cake where I came from, said Jim, very solemnly, to Mrs. Brown, when she came in with regrets that there was none in the house, and promised to order some at once. She soon brought in a new supply of milk ond sugar and sait, together with a bottle of catsup that one of the boarders straightway poured into a howl of crackers and milk, and began to eat, to the great bewilderment of the poor widow, who was evidently wondering what would be eatled for next.

Thought of Mother,

"As I glanced up to Mrs. Brown'e worn face and black dress, I thought of my own widowed mother in little home far away in Nova Scotia; and on whose account, that her comforts might increase as she grew nider, I bud migrated hither, and wondered what she would do with such a rough, thoughtless set of boarders to manage.

"At last, while Mrs. Brown was tidying the cloth near my plate, for I was a late comer at the table, and while I was trying to repress my laughter at the drollery that was still going on around me, I said to ber kindly, 'I am well supplied now, thank you; I won't trouble you any farther.

While thus speaking to her, and before the dining-room door lead elosed behind her, I had made up my

"MOTHERS OF OUR OWN" mind to remonstrate as an upassation of the Season and the Season and Season a hoarding-mistress. I though I had bet-ter do it here and now while my presence was n novelty to the boys.

Spoke Up Boldly.

"As I glanced around the table, I eaw that they were all silently regarding me, and evidently expecting that I would now introduce some new piece of mischief. For a moment my beart failed me, but as my own mother rose again in my mind I gained courage to say pleasantly, 'Now, boys, it's too bad to treat that poor woman in this shabby, unmanly way, Her grief for the loss of her huaband, coupled with the hard necessity upon her to start out for the first time in life to earn her own and her children's living is trouble onnugh for her to shoulder at once without being bothered and made game of by her hoarders. Besides, such ruda conduct' beneath those who are called men, You know there isn't one of you who would hesitate to knock n fellow down own mother as you seem to be in the habit of indulting that poor widow is good woman, and we not only voted You don't mean such carryings on as ... that we would be decent and ge to real insults, I know, boye, but they , some 'religious service, but that we nothing else, after all. Now, are

"Well and bravely asid, spoke up the one who had been the ringleader ing, when I went out from dinner this of young men, composed largely at poon, that if we boys went on like this, day after duy, it wouldn't be mingle in civilized society, to say nothing of our unfitness to associato with any true woman. We can bave fun enough among ourselves outside and, for that matter, right bere in the house, provided it is decent, and

wounds no one. 'What he says is only right," said another one of the more quiet boardere. I like fun myself as well as anyone, but often and often I have thought we were earrying this thing too far. Mrs. Brown is not the per-son to complain, but I do not thick that any of us could fail to see how much hurt abe has been at times. Now, boys, let's all own up that we have carried this rough play far equugh, and let's stop it right here.

Esstern homes we can make it. Dor't let's say a word, but keep mus, and surprise the good widow with the user Mother Brown, as we soon fell into

the way of calling her, was indeed mr-prised by our changed demeaner and ways. She was surprised, too, to see how handy and obliging we made our. selves by giving a lift now and then to some of the heavy work shout the house. Did one of us chance to notice an empty water-pail or an empty coalhod, they were straightway filled. Did wo happen to see that her stock of kindlings in the basement was out, when down there blacking our boots, we would presenty fall to the pleasent task of splitting up a good supply; "We got into the habit also of calling at the post-office, and doing other errands for her on our way to and from our dopot, shops, and offices, .- Bot what pleased Mother Brown more than all was to see us fix up, when ld hesitate to knock a fellow down Sunday came, and accompany her to about undertake to insult your the Salvation Army meeting. We had observed the walk and talk of this would insist that our Sunday dianers should wait until afternoon, se that she could remain to the Company meeting, in which, notwithstauding in the mischief. I myself was think her many bono duties, she had a class us, ber former rough, Sabbath-dese-

Amply Repaid.

"Wo were amply repaid for our kindness to her, for in sickness or in health she sought our every comfait, and was a mother to us indeed. One dor, nearly a year after this new order of things had been brought about, she said to us, "You young men now seem as if you were my own sons; but I must tell you that at first I thought you to be the must ill-bree boys I ever saw. I was on the polat of giving up the house when something -1 really don't know what did bap-

"We ull happened to think that we have mothers of our own, blother Brown, said I, and that was all she

creasing. However, it is not an DRIFTING DOWN

But An Army Officer's Kindness and Advice Won Her Back to Paths of Right.

Left a widow with two little ones. Mrs. G of found it a problem to face life. Sorrow has its different ways of taking hold of folk and a tendency to let things drift—colused by feelings of inability possesses some at this time and brings irreparable loss and blight brings irreparable loss and night upon their lives for the future. Could there only he a helping hand at the right moment, how much misery might be averted.

Mrs. G — knew that her neigh-beurs'all-had their hands full with their own households, so with a brave-face, she hid her sorrows, and in fact tried to find consolation in pleasure. Her so-called pleasure brought a little ready cash into the the moment was tided over, at how great a cost she did not stop to think.

Later, with a third child, the father of whom had made himself searce, omitting to make any profor the baby's future, she was arcused to the consciousness that her lot had indeed become more difficult and her problems were in-

easy matter at this stage to return to the ranks of the respectable, and to the ranks of the respectable, and a sense of degradation having made her entirely lose her self-respect, all sense of her responsibility as a mother toward the latest wee babe of hers seemed to have completely ed. It was whispered abroad that the baby was neglected, ill-fed, and unwashed. Many efforts were made to meet the mother, but she made to meet the mother, but she was never get-at-able. One evening, however, the visitor found the little one, who had been left in a go-cart, but had fallen down beside it. Picking it up, she was alarmed to discover that baby was too weak to cry. It was taken to a hospital, and on examination it was found that baby had one arm, one leg, and one ankle broken, and was otherwise in a serious condition, brought

on by neglect.
Now baby was in hospital, mother was tempted to sin still further. Could she not now evade all re-sponsibility by deserting him. She had never loved him, he was a constant reminder of her sin, already stant reminder of her sin, already she had two young mouths to feed and care for; yes, this, was her chance, she would take it. That long arm called law reached out and gripped Mrs. G—, and made her own to being possessor of that helpless, unloved little fellow now there is present hospital.

lying in a certain hospital.

A Salvation Army woman Officer saw Mrs. G- and did her best to help her back to the proper path of self-respect and dutiful motherhood. Bahy was discharged from the hospital, so the Officer went herself and took charge of him, found him a home, and met the board bill,

The court had decided that the child must be taken away from the mother, as she was not capable of looking after it. After a few weeks, the Officer got the baby adopted into a very fine home, where all the care and love of a mother and father are being given to him. Baby is becoming a very attractive little fellow, and last time he was "interviewed" seemed very conscious

of his importance. But what of Mrs. G-?. Well she decided that there was still hope for her after all the Officer said, so, making a clean sweep of every-thing, and even going so far as to leave the old environments in which leave the old environments in which she had been living, with the help of that Officer, ahe has succeeded in getting rooms elsewhere, has got work, and, having so dearly learned her lesson, has no desire to stray from the paths of respectability of the work of the little circle. again. Now in the little circle in which she moves, where no one knows of the dark past, she is che deavouring to bring up her two you? little children as God would have you!"

her do. At times, though, almost carfully, she ventures to ask the Officer, "How is my other haby do-Officer, "How is my other baby do-ing?" She is most thankful for all that has been done for her, and feels that the very heat thing has hapones, under the circumstances.

UNKNOWN WATCHER

He had just commenced his duties at a fresh situation, and not being accustoned to the various workings, had made a mistake. Many another workman would have given vent to some strong expression, but he was a Salvationist Bendsman and had within him the restraining power to "keep the door of his lins."

of his lips."

His working companior, a woman, noticing the expression on his face, remarked, "Do not say it. his liberal to the replied, "Say what." Again she said, "Do not say it." It then she said, "Do not say it." It then occurred to him that she was refering to language she had heard used by other workmen on similar occasions. He then said, "I never use had language,"
"Do you belong to the Salvation Army?" she asked, and on receiving could be him of the "affirmative, continued to the salvation to the

a reply in the affirmative, contin-ued, "You play in the Band, don't you? I have often seen and watched

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PARAGRAPHETTES

PERSONAL AND NEWSY

Territorial.

Brigadier DesBrisay conducted a engager Destricts conducted a meeting at the Toronto Receiving flone last Sunday, and eight girls tought Salvation. On the previous Sunday the Brigadier dedicated six lables at the Toronto Resente Home. Brigadier Jost, Marron of the Totonto Women's Hospital, is now totalescent. Officers on the sick latthis week include Captain Allard, Cinton; Cantain Smith, Wingham; Mrs. Captain Howers. Goderich laptain Gage, East Toronto, and Lieutenant Calder, Stratford, Remember them in prayer,

A daughter was born to Cantain and Mrs. Harrison, of Sherbrooke, 60 Wednesday, April 20, Captain Daisy Burden has been Sponted to assist at the Sydney-

liked souls should remember the anipotence of Jesus their Keeper. Test everything in your life by besitule, not what pleases others, so what pleases courself, but what

PERSONAL SKETCHES (Continued from Page 16.)

the Heavenly Garden, but a splendid work was accomplished among the natives. Two Corps were started, one English and one Hindustani, one Engusa and one Hudustani, and many souls sought Salvation during the twenty months they were stationed here. A Men's Judustrial Home, of which they were in charge, was put on a self-supporting basis, and many remarkable cases passed through during their stay. In May, 1920, they len India, tired and really needing a turiough. but with their plans made for return in February of the present year. However, God willed it otherwise, for He took the Ensign to be with Himself after just five weeks in England, Mrs. Thorne made the remaining part of her journey to this country four weeks after laying her

dear one to rest. God has been very gracious in restoring her to health, and with a renewed consecration and intensified love to God and for souls, she expects to return to India about July next. She ever expresses herself as being truly thankful to God and the Salvation Army for the opportunity which is given her to take the Gospel of Jesus Christ to the non-Christian people of India.

BRIEF SKETCHES

(Continued from Page 8.) marriage to Adjutant Babington. they were appointed to take charge the Harmonic Revivalists and tour Eastern Ontario. A very bless-ed work was done and many souls were saved. The Major was Chancellor of the Toronto Division when stricken with his illness,

Staff-Captain Gilhert Best bancellor of the Hamilton Division. He is a Newfoundlander by birth, coming out of St. John's L. in 1908. After a brief Field experience in Western Omario, he was appointed to assist in the Field Department at Headquarters, and later became Private Secretary to the Commissioner, In 1915 he was apnointed Acting Chancellor of the St. John Division. He married Captain Reid in 1913, a Field Officer who had also come out of St. John's, and had commanded several Corps in British Columbia.

Human life without religion

sould be a greater commdrum. It is usually not so much the reatness of one own trouble as the littleness of our spirit which makes

LINDSAY

New Soldiers Enrolled-A Songster Brigade is Formed.

We have recently welcomed Bandsman Walter Powell, from the Old Country, and Bandsman Harry Stubbings, from Oshawa, also the latter's wife and children. These comrades are a great help to the

On Sunday, April 24, three Retwo lunior Subliers were added to

The Sunday services were a little The Sunday services were a much one obche ordinary. The morning Bible address was given by Sister Alrs, Hurst. The evening service was conducted by Capatan A. White-head and her father. Envoy Whitehead, and resulted in the restoration ai one soul to God.

The Band now is twelve strong, and renders splendid service to the Corps. We have recently formed a Songster Brigade, eighteen strong. They sang their first selection last Sunday, and did very creditably.

SNARE-DRUM FOR SALE. Anyone desiring to purchase a snare-drum in good condition, upply to Sister Mrs. Garland, 211 symington Ave., To-fonto. AN OFFER OF HELP

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The Saivation Army will search for missing persons in any part of the globe befriend, and, as far as possible, assist anyone in difficulty. Address, Liout.-Culonel Otway, James and Albert Streets, Toronto, marking "Enquiry" on savelope. One dollar should, wifere possible, be ent with every enquiry, to help defray

expenses. Officers, Spidlers, and friends are in-vited to assist in this matter by looking regularly through the Alissing Column, and to notify Lieut-Colonel Otway if able to give information concerning any individual advertised for, always stating the name and number.

NULLER, EDUARD—German by birth, living in America 40 years; clockmaker; missing since 1912. Was in Hamilton, 1295.

BROWN, BEATRICE—Age 17; baight
5 ft. 4 in.; frizzy brown hair; dark eyes;
natural musician, plany planto well: missing since October, 1915. Father most
amitous for your return. GOOLLEE—308
HULL, MISS MARK HAIR; blant planton
HULL, MISS MARK HAIR; blant planton
HULL, STES Completion; Canadian;
missing nearly two years. Whersabouts
desired.

missing nearly desired.

DRAPER, WILLIAM—Age 71; height 150 lba.; brown hair; fair complexion; married; missing about twenty-five years; last known address Collingwood. Any news gladly received.

PENNOCK, MRS. OSCAR (nee Flarence Hannaberg)—Missing nine years; lived in Hamilton, Uxbridge, and supposed now to be living in Toronto. Mother anxious to locate. 12833 to meate.

CRYDERMAN, ROY BERTRUDE—Age
25; beight 5 ft. 11 in.; brown hair. bine
eyes; medium complexion; missing since
July, 1920. Nows wanted.

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SAND, JACOB ALFRED—Age 13; rredium height; dark brown hair; blue eyes; worked for Joiner. Whereabouts de-sired.

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EISAN, ROSS DOUGLAS—Age 17:
ubout 5 (t. 2 in.; black hair and eyes;
dark complexion; left-banded in everything; missing since November last; may
be working oround Suddury or Sault Ste.
Maris. Mother anxious for word. 12532

Marie. Mother shalous for action of CHICOYNE. JULIA—Age 27: fair complexion: born at Harachois Co., Gaspe. Bister most auxious for news.

LENNON. MALBY STEWART— (Siewart or Jim)—Born July 24, 1891 (29); height 5 ft. 9 in.; dark hair, dark brown eyes; dark complexion; Canadian. Last heard of eight years ago, in Sasiatoon. Sister Florence enquires. Any news gratefully received.

Sinter Forence angulars. Any these MACKIE. COLIN NICIOLO ISSN—Asset July Balt Brown had: all conditions of in Montreal December, 1981. In East-angular Decembe

STEWART. MRS. DAVID (nee Maude Colin)—About 55; brown hair, blue eyes; light complexion; missing seventeen years. Did live in Toronto; supposed-to have friends in Sault Sie, Marie. Daugh-ter anxious to know whereabouts. 12542

iave friends in Saul. Str. Marth. Pauricor, anxious to know whereabouts. L384
MAYNE. SAMUEL—Age 44; height 5
t. 10 in: jank brown hair; frah; miseing
wo yaars. Sister Agnes, now in LonDOIG. JOSEPH WATSON for Joseph
Masson)—Scotch; fair hair; blue eyes;
as teeth; height 5 ft. 5 in. is, age 30; very
illin; missing meanly six months. Wife
most anxious for news. 1237.

WILLIAM McGREGOR—Age 31; height 5 ft. 6 in.; fair hair; blue-grey eyes; very pale complexion; occupation, joiner. Born in Glasgow, Also child.

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IN A GRAVEYARD LONELY. Tune-"Tell me with your eyes.

In a graveyard lonely, many miles

away,
Lies your dear old mother, 'neath
the cold, eold clay.
Mentories now returning of her
tears and sighs,

If you love your mother, meet her in the skies.

Chorus, Listen to her pleading, "Wandering boy, come hame," Lovingly entreating, do no longer

roam, Let thy manhood waken, heaven-ward lift thine eyes, If you love your mother, meet her in the skies.

Now the old home vacant has no

charm for you,
One dear form is absent-mother, kind, and true;

Where she dwells forever pleasure never dies; If you love your mother, meet her in the skies.

Sacred vows you've broken in your wayward life.

Strongest pledges spoken, forgotten in the strife; Hope has almost left you, wilt thou

not be wise? If you love your mother, meet her

TELL MOTHER I'LL BE THERE.

When I was but a little child how well I recollect

How I would grieve my mother with my folly and neglect;
And now that she has gone to Heaven. I miss her tender care; O Saviour, tell my mother I'll be there!

Tell mother I'll be there, in answer to her prayer,

This message, blessed Saviour, to her bear! Tell mother I'll be there, Heaven's

joys with her to share, Yes, tell my darling mother I'll be there!

Though I was often wayward, she was always kind and good;
So patiem, gentle, loving, when I acted rough and rude;
My childhood grieff and trials she would gladly with me share;
O Saviour, tell my mother i'll be about.

One day a message came to me, it bade me quickly come

If I would see my mother ere the Saviour took her home; I promised her, before she di d, for

Heaven to prepare; O Saviour, tell my mother I'll be

there!

MY WANDERING BOY.

Where is my wandering boy to night-

The boy of my tenderest care, The boy that was once my joy and The child of my love and prayer?

Oh, where is my hoy to-night? Oh, where is my lloy to-night? My heart o'erflows; for I love him,

he knows: Oh, where is my boy to-night? "

Once he was pure as morning dew, As he knelt at his mther's knee; No face was so bright, no heart more true, And none was so sweet as he.

Go for my wandering boy to-night; Go, search for him where you

But bring him to me with all his blight. And tell him I love him still!

NO FRIEND LIKE MOTHER. Tune She was bred in Old Ken-tucky."

In a little western town there's a gravel-covered mound, Underneath the which my aged mother rests;

And my eyes oft fill with tears when I look back to those years

When I knelt in prayer with her, whom I love best; Then all life was bright and fair, and my young heart knew no care.

But my joy soon passed like chaff .
hefore the gale,
When I followed her I loyed to a

cheerless grave, And with aching heart I hade a long farewell.

Chorus.

There's no friend on earth like mother, none so loving, none so true:

None can soothe the pain of suffer-ing as a mother's hand can do. But she never loved like Jesus, Who was slain that He might save

He's so loving and kind and true.

Many years have passed away since that saddest of all days, When I bade a long farewell to

her I love.
And they bore her through the gloom to that cold and silent

And her spirit winged its flight to worlds above; But though mother dear is gone, be-side me still is One,

Whose loving care protects me all

the way. Soon my pilgrimage will end, and to Glory I'll ascend,

Meet my angel mother in the realms of day.

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Have You Written Home to Mother?

Pray, may I ask you, worthy lad, Whose smiles no care can smother, Though busy life throbs round Have you written home to mother?

You are fast forgetting, aren't you.

quito How fast the weeks went flying: And that a little blotted sheet

Oon't you remember how ahe stood, With wistful glance at parting? Don't you remember how the tears Were in the soft eyes starting?

Have you forgotten how her a Stole around you to caress you? Have you forgotten those low words: my son; God bless

Ohl do not wrong her patient love; Save God's there is no other So faithful through all mists of sin; Fear not to write to mother.

Toll her you love her dearly still. For fear some and to-morrow Shall bear away the listening soul, And leave you lost in correw.

And then, through bitter, failing tears
And sighe you may not smother You will remember, when too late, You did not write to mother.

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THE COMMISSIONER St. Thomas, Sat.-Sun., May 7-8 Windsor, Sat.-Sun., May 14-15 Dresden, Sat.-Sun., May 21-22

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